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A MONSTER CONTRACT.

Keystone Powder Co., of Emporium, Awarded by United States Isthmian Canal Commission.

TEN MILLION POUNDS

Thank You—Come Again.

On Monday The Isthmian Canal Commission opened bids at Washington for supplying more than ten million pounds of dynamite, of various sizes, for the fiscal year. The two principal bidders were the E. I. DuPont de Nemours Powder Company and the Keystone Powder Manufacturing Company, Emporium, Pa., the former bidding $1,051,850 and the Keystone Company of this place, $1,017,232. When the good news flashed over the wires that the Keystone Company were the lowest bidders and had been awarded the contract for ten million pounds, great was the rejoicing. This monster order, in connection with the usual lively trade, will keep the Keystone, Sinnamahoning and Emporium plants busy as bees during the next year, and all three plants will furnish steady employment, at good wages, to hundreds of employees, thereby benefittting our entire county. That this county should contain capitalists of such wide reputation and standing in the business world to command and receive the confidence of the United States Isthmian Commission is received with very great satisfaction by our people. Emporium is known all over the country as a powder town and when Uncle Sam or any other government wants high explosives, here they can be served. All of our high explosives companies are conducted on strict business principles and are rated in the financial world among the foremost of the land.

Company M Notes.

Company M has been invited to take part in the program proposed for July 5th, in honor of our national holiday.

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The date of the Battalion Encampment at Sizerville has been set for August 11-18. Major Bliss, when in town on Monday, conferred with a number of our citizens in regard to the encampment. Every effort will be made to make the encampment even better than the camp at Bear Creek last July.

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It is proposed to divide the boys of Company M into two companies. Boys from fifteen upwards will compose the senior company and will retain the name, Company M. The boys between the ages of twelve and fifteen will form another Company, and will be known as Company N, or perhaps as Company L. Elections for commissioned officers will be held on June 21. On that date Major Bliss will also hold an examination for corporal and sergeant appointments. A full attendance of both companies is desired at that time.

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A number of changes have been made on the Battalion staff. Captain Powell of Co., I, has been appointed Adjutant, the Rev. Mr. Redcliffs has been appointed Battalion Chaplain, and Sergeant Geary, of Company M, is now Battalion Sergeant-Major. Company M is also represented on the Battalion Staff by Bugler Clark Metzger.

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Lieutenant Ellis specially requests that every member of the Junior Company be present on next Wednesday evening, June 16th; and that both companies be present on Monday evening, June 21st.

Killed a Monster Snake.

On Monday, while Howard Bingeman and William Armstrong were playing at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Major Dorval, killed a four foot rattlesnake in the yard. They attempted to kill the second but it escaped under a lumber pile.

Eye Specialist.

Prof. W. H. Budine, the well known Eye Specialist, of Binghamton, N. Y., will be at R. H. Hirsch's jewelry store, Emporium, Pa., June 12th. If you can't see well or have headache don't fail to call and see Prof. Budine, as he guarantees to cure all such cases. Lenses ground and fitted in old frames. Eyes tested and examined free. All work guaranteed.

Cedar Shingles $4.50 per thousand at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Emmanuel Church Services.

June 13, First Sunday after Trinity:

8 a. m., Holy Communion.

10:30 a. m., Morning Prayer and Sermon. Subject: The Story of the Fall.

7:30 p. m., Evening Prayer and Sermon. Subject: The Divine Standard of Love.

The old-fashioned Kansas Republican who has been voting his party ticket all these many years under the impression that Protection is home industry was one of its fundamental principles can't quite see why any Kansas Congressman should be denounced for not favoring "revision downward."—Kansas City "Journal."

District Conventions.

The Cameron County Sabbath School Association will hold two (2) District Conventions this week, at Hicks Run, June 10, and Sterling Run, June 11.

The following program with slight changes will be given at both places:

PROGRAM—2:30 P. M.

Hymn, "Jesus, Lover of my Soul."
Scripture Lesson and Prayer, Rev. J. W. Shank
Greetings from President,..Hon. Josiah Howard
Hymn, "Stand up, Stand up for Jesus."
Essential Qualifications of a Sunday School Teacher,.....Miss Charlotte Spence
Children's Chorus, "Love Keeps me Singing."
Model Sunday School Lesson,
Rev. John Lyman Bogue
Hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers."
Benediction.

PROGRAM—7:30 P. M.

Song Service,.....Rev. J. W. Shank
Address,.....Hon. Josiah Howard
Soprano Solo, "Jesus Lover of my Soul," *Jerome*
Miss Rachel Brookbank.
Address, Self Culture and Self Sacrifice,
Rev. R. W. Runyan
Bass Solo, "The Lord is my Shepherd," *Rockwell*
Mr. R. Laughton Richardson.
Offering, Selection by Choir.
Solo, Selected,.....Miss Violet Mason
Address, Elements for Success in Teaching,
Rev. John Lyman Bogue
Duet, "As Pants the Hart,".....*Eugene Marks*
Miss Brookbank, Mr. Richardson
Benediction.

Those friends from Driftwood desiring to attend can return home on evening mail train, arrangements having been made to stop the train at Sterling Run.

Food for Croakers.

FRICK COKE OVENS FIRED.

Orders were issued to-day by the H. C. Frick Coke company at Pittsburg for the firing of 1,200 additional coke ovens in this district to-morrow morning. This will make 3,000 ovens fired in the last three weeks and will put in operation a total of 15,000 out of the company's total of 20,000 ovens.

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WAGE ADVANCE.

Several thousand employes of the Republic Iron & Steel company received an advance of ten per cent. in their wages, effective at once. It is said that virtually all the other concerns which cut wages the first of April restore the former scale before the firs of July.

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RESUMED ROLLING MILLS.

Business is apparently picking up in Lancaster, all the rolling mills and the pipe mill of the Susquehanna Iron company having resumed operations and some of them are running on double turn. Fires have also been lighted in the mill of the Jansen Steel and Iron company and employees have been imported from Middletown and other places.

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COKE OVENS FIRED UP.

Business seems to be picking up in some parts of Cambria county. The Clearfield Coal and Coke company will fire up 100 new coke ovens which have been constructed recently. The big demand for the fuel by the iron and steel industry will enable the company to dispose of its output. The new ovens are equipped with the improved washer and crusher and the company expects to turn out coke equal to any manufactured in the United States.

Going to Denver.

Miss Lillian Heilman will leave on Tuesday, June 22nd, for Denver, Col., to attend the National Educational Association, to be held in that city from July 5th to 9th. Miss Heilman will also take a special course for one month at the Denver Normal Preparatory School before returning east. She will take the lake route going and expects to visit at several points on her return. It will be a fine trip and no doubt will be greatly beneficial to the young lady, who for several years has been one of Emporium's most popular teachers.

News of a Former Pastor.

The PRESS is in receipt of a marked copy of the Sandusky Star-Journal in which appears an account of the Memorial Day exercises at Sandusky, Ohio, Rev. W. A. Pugsley, a former pastor of the Baptist church at this place was the speaker of the day and delivered a fine address at the Oakland cemetery.

Interesting Notes.

Following are some brief extracts taken from letters written by Mrs. William Howard, who, with her son Master Whiteley, are visiting the Yukon-Alaskan Exposition. These letters were written enroute to the west. The explanations in brackets are made by Mr. W. H. Howard:

Chicago, May 31st, 1909.

"Arrived here on time, got breakfast on train before we got to Chicago. Whiteley awakened me at 1:20 this morning to look at Lake Erie by moonlight. It was beautiful The moon shown over it like a path to the other side. Just going to leave for St. Paul. Got ticket exchanged."

(They were due in Chicago at 7:48 a. m., central time; and to leave for St. Paul at 9:00 a. m., over the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R. R.; where they were due to arrive at 9:40 p. m., Monday, May 31st, 1909.)

St. Paul, June 1st, 1909.

"We arrived here on time last night and came to the Merchants Hotel. Are just going to leave for Pasco. Could not get the promise of a lower berth last night. They told me to come again this morning and see what they could do."

(They could have left St. Paul soon after arrival on the night train, but as The North Coast Limited train due to leave St. Paul at 10:15 a. m., over the Northern Pacific R. R., is a better train; going through the Bad Lands at night, and the most pleasant in day light; they concluded to stop over at St. Paul for it. Pasco is a N. P. Station on the Columbia river in the southern part of Washington, and there is where the change is made for Portland, over the S. P. & S. R. R.)

On board train, 5:20 p. m., C. T., June 1st, 1909.

"In a very short time we will be in North Dakota. We did not leave St. Paul until 11 o'clock this morning, C. T. As soon as I got to St. Paul last night I went to the ticket office to secure my berth. They did not have a lower on this train, and took my name and told me to come in the morning, I telling them that I would take the upper rather than none. This morning had to take the upper (14). But since getting on the train have had it changed to lower No. 1. Had to pay $12.00. Everything O. K."

(This is post marked Fargo, North Dakota, June 1, 1909, 8:30 p. m.)

June 2nd, 1909.

"We are having a great time. Came near having a bad accident last night, something like the one I was in going to Brookville; only the cars did not leave the track, merely tore up the ties. This morning we awoke and found the train stopped at Belfield for a washout. So I suppose we will be going through the best part of the country in the day. We just went a few miles and found another washout. It is now ten o'clock, M. Time, and we are standing for them to fix up a washout. This car goes through to Portland. But it does not look as if we would get there before Friday. Send us the Cameron county papers. Whiteley is enjoying every minute and sees everything. Will mail this the first station we stop. Wrote you from Fargo last night."

(Fargo is the first station on the N. P. R. R., in North Dakota. The N. P. R. R., crosses the Red River of the north from Moorehead, Minn., to Fargo, N. D. At Mandan, N. D., which is 200 miles farther west the time chages from central time to mountain time; and it is here where the N. P. R. R., crosses the Missouri River. Belfield is the last station but one in North Dakota, and 86 miles west of Belfield the N. P. R. R., strikes the Yellowstone River at Glendive, Montana. The above is post marked St. P. & Spokane R. R, 2D. Div. 6, June 2, 1909. RMS.)

We will soon be in Spokane, but are very late getting there; ought to have been there early this morning, but will not get there until 3:30 Pacific time this afternoon. Will send a telegram from Spokane to Portland. We will get there to-morrow morning (Friday) at about 7:30. We have some very nice people on board, and have had a very good time. Seems to me there are people from all quarters of the globe. They seem to be people that have travelled a great deal. We have a Mrs. Bigelow from Australia on her way home, and I think she knows some of our relations there. We also have Svelgani the Hypnotist on board, his wife and son and the young lady he makes play and sing grand opera. I was talking to his wife this morning out on the observation car and I am about the only one she has spoken to. A great many have been wondering who they are, and I found out all we wanted to know this morning, and told some of the ladies. They told me I was a regular Sherlock Holmes. Svengani is going to perform here in Spokane, Seattle and Portland; and all those that stop off at those places say they are going to see him. The car is rocking so I can hardly write."

(This is post marked Spokane, Wash., June 4, 1909, 10:30 a. m. The train has followed up the south side of the Yellowstone River from Glendive, crossing the Powder and Big Horn Rivers to Billings; where it crossed the Yellowstone River, and on to Livingston, Bozeman and Logan. Livingstone is where the change is made for Yellowstone Park. At Logan the train from St. Paul goes down the Missouri River to Helena and through the Rocky Mountains to Garrison; but the north Coast Limited from Logue goes up the Missouri River to Butte City and down the Deer Lodge River to Garrison. Both trains then go down the Missoula River through Missoula and on around the north end of the Bitter Root Mountains through the Northern part of Idaho to Spokane, Washington. About half way between Missoula, Montana Spokane, Wash., at a place called Trout Creek the time changes from Mountain time to Pacific time. Where o change is made in the time it is one hour backward if going west, and one hour forward if going east.)

A letter from Mrs. William H. Howard this morning anounces the fact that they arrived safely at Seattle last Friday morning, June 4th, at 7:30, Pacific time.

Pleasant Visitors.

J. M. Butler, wife and son and N. R. Bard and wife, came over from Port Allegany last Thursday in Mr. Butler's Stoddard auto. They were guests at the Commercial Hotel, whose proprietor is the first named gentleman's brother. Great big, good hearted Joe Butler used to reside here, working in the woods and Howard & Co's mill. Of course he met many friends and enjoyed a couple of hours in town. We all are glad to learn that our old friend is prospering in Port and is on easy street.

Lecture on Washington.

The stereopticon lecture on Washington and vicinity given by the Rev. T. L. Rynder on Monday night at the First Presbyterian Church was attended by a large audience. Rev. Rynder proved himself a very entertaining lecturer. The beautiful colored views of many places of interest were greatly appreciated by all.

Broad Street Station.

The Pennsylvania station on Broad street has been greatly improved during the past two weeks, being treated to several coats of paint, both inside and outside. It adds greatly to the appearance of the place. Other needed improvements will follow.

Improved Home.

The home of Willis Gaskill and wife, on Fifth street, has been greatly improved during the past month. The west wing of the house has been raised and another story added to it and new porch built in the front. These improvements were much needed and now the Gaskills are as snug as a bug in a rug.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.

Class meeting at 9:30 a. m., F. P. Strayer, Leader; Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.. T. B. Lloyd, Supt.; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., Mrs. McGrain, Leader.

The minister's subject for morning will be "Lessons from the Lilies;" evening subject, "Divine Solicitude for the Erring." A cordial welcome and a comfortable pew for you.

Board Jumpers Caught.

Two young men registering under the names of J. A. Allen and H. R. Eckart, jumped a board bill at the New Warner on Tuesday last. They were successful in getting out of town and arrived in St. Marys where they were held. Sheriff Norris, accompanied by E. E Bre ene, clerk at the New Warner, went to St. Marys on Wednesday afternoon and the men were identified, arrested and brought to Emporium last night on the 10:40 train and taken to the county jail. They are the people who have jumped board bills at Salamanca, N. Y., and other places.

Nice Catch.

Adams Express Agent John D. Logan, accompanied by his family and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Logan spent Monday out fishing for "speckled beauties" and made some handsome catches—one beauty measuring 13½ inches. Of course Chas. took them home with him yesterday, to show his Binghamton friends.

Attention Brides.

A young man and woman is wanted to get married on Monday, July 5th at Keystone Park, Emporium, Pa. The young couple will receive a handsome bed room set and numerous other presents from the merchants of Emporium. It is desired that at least the bride be a resident of Cameron county. Address all communications at once to Fourth of July Committee, care Mr. R. Kuehne, Emporium, Pa.

Baptist Church.

JOHN L. BOGUE, Pastor.

Pastor will preach at both services. Theme for the morning, "A Blind Man's Opportunity." In the evening a few practical points will be called from the story of a man who wanted to go to heaven and at the same time hold on to his greenbacks.

Our Sunday school which meets at 11:45 is on the increase attendance. Last Sunday 103, almost our high water mark. We have room for a few more however.

The class for adults is taught by the pastor.

Y. P. S. C. E., will hold a stirring temperance meeting in the church parlors at 6:30 p. m. Lively singing and short talks.

We assure all who attend our services a hearty welcome, good singing and an uplifting service.

During the warm weather we shorten the evening service.

For Sale

One second hand Reaper; one second hand mower; one platform scales; one cultivator; a lot of log chains. The above will be sold cheap for cash.

WM. HACKENBERG, Emporium, Pa.

Linoleum at 99c per yard is getting scarce at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Just received a fresh invoice of Crackers and Cookies at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Where Are You At?

This week's Independent has another of editor Hockley's little joker editorials. He complains that so many Democrats are tariff Democrats and should be read out of the party, calling them traitors and hypocrites. Then in a few lines later he endorses the democrat who support protection principles. Bless your soul, if you rid every tariff democrat out of your party, you would not have votes enough in Pennsylvania to get a place on the ballot. This great and growing Nation is a rock-ribbed tariff country and every time the democratic party evades the tariff issue and attempts the Cleveland or Bryan evasive tariff planks, they are licked out of their boots. This country, especially the laboring element, will never vote to fill the land with Coxey's armies and tramps, never compel the American mechanic and laborer to wear the Cleveland "badge" we all remember so sadly. "The late Samuel J. Randall was a protective democrat" and he honestly served his country and received plaudits of all for his gallant stand for the right. Tariff for revenue only would pauperize the American laborer and bring destruction upon the country. The Republican party enacted wise tariff legislation and will continue to do so in the future with the aid of patriotic, honest senators and congressmen. Your old chestnut about the rich manufacturer has been threshed so many times that it resembles a singed cat. It's all rot. We believe in building up and not in tearing down the wall erected around the American industries and the American homes and not in pauperizing the American laborer on a level with the pauper European laborer. The land is full of honest tariff democrats who will continue to vote with the Republican party and send protection congressmen to Washington long after you and tariff for revenue democrats are forgotten.

When you kick all protection democrats out of the party you failed to find a week ago, you will have mighty few left. Keep right on watching this mighty country boom when president Taft places his signature to the new tariff bill soon to pass. It will be a protection measure, pure and simple—and as McGinty said, "Don't You Forget It."

DEATH'S DOINGS.

ETTRIDGE.

WESLEY ETTRIDGE, aged 65 years, died at Williamsport hospital, May 28th of erysipelas in the face. Deceased came here from New Brunswick and entered the employ of Matthew Leadbetter, on his Rich Valley form. Chas. W. Rishell went to Williamsport and brought the remains to Emporium and prepared it for burial. It was thought best to place the body in La Bar's morgue to await word from his relatives in N. B., when if desired can be shipped.

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LEWIS.

LOWELL, son of Vernie Lewis, died at his home in Rich Valley, June 5th, 1909, aged 17 years, four months and 28 days. He has been a sufferer for a long time, with that dread disease, tuberculosis. About two years ago he underwent an operation in Williamsport hospital and had his right leg amputated. He appareutly regained his health, but this winter began to fail and continued to fail until death relieved his suffering. He is survived by a father, mother, three brothers and two sisters. He will be missed by a large circle of friends and relatives.

The family have the sympathy of the neighbors in this their time of affliction. Funeral was held on Monday. June 7th at the Rich Valley church; Rev. Osgood officiated.

A. FRIEND.

Wedding Bells.

A quiet wedding took place at St. Marys Monastery on Wednesday morning at nine o'clock, when Mr. Guy A. Klees, one of Emporium's exemplary young men was united in holy wedlock to Miss Lillian Cotter, formerly employed by the Incandescent Lamp Co., of Emporium. The happy couple have many friends in Emporium who wish them prosperity and happiness. The PRESS cordially extends its best wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Klees left on Flyer Wednesday noon on a ten day trip to eastern cities, after which they will reside in Emporium, where the groom fills the position of clerk to master mechanic Elmer Klock, at the Junction.

Heilman & Co., Hardware.

No fly can get through the window screens or screen doors we sell.

Window screens 25c to 85c.

Screen doors $1.10 to $1.95.

Wire cloth spring hinges and all the accessories for the fly weather. Keep the nasty flies out of the house. They carry the germs of disease.

Good bargains in hot plates and ovens.

Garden hose 12c and 14c a foot.

Keep the lawn trimmed and looking nice with one of our good lawn mowers, $3.75 to $16.00 each.

Builders' supplies, hardware of all kinds. Plumbing and tinning.

F. V. HEILMAN & Co.

Don't forget! 3 cans Sweet Clover Peas, for 25c, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Where did you get that stylish Straw Hat? At C. B. Howard & Co's

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY, Showers.
SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY, Fair.

ASSETS

First National Bank,

EMPORIUM, PA.

At the close of business, June 9, 1909.

$785,237.54.

SEED TIME.

Harvest follows seed-time; riches often follow the opening of a savings account.

$1.00 Starts an Account.

3% INTEREST PAID ON SAVING BOOK ACCOUNTS AND CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.

DR. LEON REX FELT,
DENTIST.
Rockwell Block, Emporium, Pa.

DR. H. W. MITCHELL,
DENTIST,
(Successor to Dr. A. B. Mead.)
Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store,
Emporium, Pa. 12y

Press Sets Advs Exceptionally Fine.

The exceptionally fine and up-to-date composition of the PRESS advertisements, comprising the latest faces, meets with the hearty endorsement of all competent to judge such matters, and must result to the advantage of our patrons. The large and rapidly increasing circulation of the PRESS, going into the homes and business offices in all parts of this and adjoining counties, makes it a valued advertising proposition.

The following letter, received by Mr. R. Kuehne, of Emporium, who is our largest and most energetic advertiser, from The Paramount Knitting Company, of Chicago, speaks for itself:

MR. R. KUEHNE,
Emporium, Pa.

Dear Sir:—

We received the CAMERON COUNTY PRESS, dated April 29th, 1909, containing your advertisement, which was exceptionally fine and wish to secure all the copies of it that you can obtain from the printers, sending us bill for same.

We thought we had written you about this before, but we do not find a copy of our letter. We are sorry about this as we intended to state at the time that it was an exceptionally fine advertisement.

Thanking you very much for securing us these additional copies.

Yours truly,
PARAMOUNT KNITTING CO.
By D. McElvan.

Fourth of July Celebration.

The Fourth of July Committee is preparing a very interesting program to be carried out on the afternoon of July 5th. There will be a parade in which all organized bodies of Emporium are expected to take part. At Keystone Park The Human United States Flag, represented by about 150 of Emporium's prettiest young maidens, will be unfurled to the tune of the Star Spangled Banner, played by Fisk's Juvenile Band. Then something of great interest to all the young ladies of the county will happen, namely, a marriage. The committee is going to give a prize of a handsome Bed Room Set, and Emporium's merchants are going to make liberal presents to the bride who consents to be married at Keystone Park on Monday, July 5th. There will be a base ball game between Emporium and a neighboring town, and many other mirth producing games will be played, the winner of each one to receive a handsome prize. Invite your out of town friends to be here on July 5th. The show will be worth coming miles to see.

New To-Day

The PRESS contains some new and interesting ads this week from our patrons. The following have something new to say this week:

Ludlams Millinery, a full page, just teeming with bargains.

Old Reliable Drug Store, has a fine line of toilet soaps.

R. Kuehne, the big store, has his usual fine attractions.

Day's, the satisfactory store, tells of his Friday bargains.

Coppersmith's Millinery, appears with the usual "Buster Brown" ad.

First National Bank has a few words to say for money savers.

Adam, Meldrum & Anderson Co., of Buffalo, has something new for our readers.

Concrete walks and street crossings are being laid in different parts of town. They are better than hemlock and cheaper in the long run.

Pure Maple Sugar and Syrup, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

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Legal and Official Advertising per square three times or less, $2; each subsequent insertion 50 cents per square.

Local notices 10 cents per line for one insertion; 5 cents per line for each subsequent consecutive insertion.

Obituary notices over five lines, 10 cents per line. Simple announcements of births, marriages and deaths will be inserted free.

Business cards, five lines or less, $5 per year; over five lines, at the regular rates of advertising.

No local inserted for less than 75 cents per issue.

JOB PRINTING.

The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

Insult to Gobblerhood.

A Denton man is forcing a gobbler to do the "settin'" by keeping him drunk on corn soaked in licker. Despite the necessity which seems to compel the owner to employ these unusual methods, we unhesitatingly declare the proceeding an outrage and an insult to the bird's gobblerhood.—Houston Post.

Not Nervous.

"Ha!" they exclaimed, "you are nervous." The accused party bristled. "Why do you say that?" he inquired. "Because you continually twiddle your fingers and keep moving your feet up and down. That means nervousness." "Nonsense," retorted the accused party, "I can stop it—if I try." And he wondered why they laughed.

Cats as Art Models.

The strange inscrutability of the cat in her calmer moods, her thousand and one humors and motions and expressions—differing always, to careful observation, from the thousand and one humors, etc., of other cats—have defied the painter or broken his heart.—London Daily Graphic.

Financial Problem.

"Make your outgo fit your income," said the millionaire. "But if you have so arranged matters that my income has been diverted to yourself?" continued the anxious inquirer. However the millionaire had no more advice to give.

Human.

The young man, leading a dog by a string, lounged up to the ticket office of a railway station and inquired: "Must I—aw—take a ticket for a puppy?" "No; you can travel as an ordinary passenger," was the reply.—Universalist Leader.

Detective Work.

"I want a detective," roared the excited citizen, as he rushed into the police station. "There's a fight going on in front of our home, and if you don't send me a detective who is capable of finding a policeman quick there'll be trouble."—London Globe.

As a Rule.

"When a man gives it out that he is not seeking a nomination," observes Old Man Phocks, "it is generally because he thinks the nomination is breaking its neck chasing him."

Apples as Cure for Influenza.

A cure for influenza which is being strenuously advocated consists of copious draughts of absolutely pure milk, widely opened windows by day and night, and a diet of ripe apples and bread only.

Women Draw Large Salaries.

Probably the highest paid women in the United States civil service are two young women translators of French and Spanish, employed at the bureau of American republics. They receive $2,400 a year.

Modern Proverb.

He that knoweth overmuch concerning the business of the Other Fellow full oft knoweth far too little concerning his own affairs, and thus falleth into grievous woes.—Jeremiah of Joppa.

Explicit Orders.

Drill Instructor Casey—Now, min, yez will take one stip to the rare, thin one to the front, thin one to the rare again, an' yez'll be as yez were before yez were as yez are now.—Life.

Men Also.

"Women are sacrificed by the thousands in the name of marriage," says Mother Tingley. And some men.—Rochester Herald.

"Doggone" It.

Small Pup (looking ruefully at his stump of tail)—I'd like to get my teeth in the "divinity that shaped my end!"—Harvard Lampoon.

Cure for the Soul Kiss.

'Bout the only cure fer th' soul kiss is onions, but ye got to keep takin' 'em!—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Danish Proverb.

A small cloud may hide both sun and moon.

Time of Reflection.

In time of sickness the soul collects itself anew.—Pliny.

IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Denunciation and defense of Senator La Follette, who was absent, marked the first night session of the senate to consider the tariff bill.

Plans for the aerial defense of the United States by the erection of balloon stations along the coast have been prepared by Brig. Gen. Allen, chief of the army signal corps.

Senator La Follette scored the Republican senators for failure to keep the party pledge to revise the tariff downward.

The senate began to hold night sessions in an effort to pass the tariff bill before July 1.

His desk a mass of roses and with his former associates gathered about him to give him a farewell, Director of the Census S. N. D. North, after seven years' service, relinquished his post.

Senator Root of New York voted with the insurgents against a half-cent increase in the duty on lemons.

Senator Aldrich took a vigorous slap at Germany, declaring that country had supplied anonymous information in an attempt to influence American tariff legislation and calling the action "impertinent."

The supreme court of the United States has adjourned for the summer.

PERSONAL.

Count von Bernstorff, ambassador from Germany, said England had no cause to fear war with his country.

Edward Payson Weston, who is walking from New York to San Francisco, has passed Laramie, Wyo.

Dr. W. S. Bovard, president of Moore's Hill college, Richmond, Ind., has resigned to become vice-president of the University of Chattanooga.

The resignation of Dr. Andrew Walker McAlester, professor of surgery since 1873, and dean of the School of Medicine in the University of Missouri, has been accepted.

George Baglin, vice-president of the United Copper Company, was sent to jail in New York for failure to produce the concern's books in court.

By the retirement of Maj. Gen. Arthur MacArthur, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood became senior officer of the United States army.

President Dickie of Albion college and Mayor Rose of Milwaukee will hold another debate on the liquor question at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition in Seattle, Wash., June 11.

President Taft in his Gettysburg speech declared the regular army of the United States should not be decreased.

James J. Hill of the Great Northern railroad declared James A. Patten did not corner the wheat market.

Robert T. Lincoln, son of the martyred president, was stricken by the heat at the exercises of unveiling a monument to his father at Hodgenville, Ky.

George Ade, playwright and humorist, arrived in San Francisco after a trip around the world.

Mrs. W. E. Annis, the widow of the man slain by Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., made her debut in vaudeville in New York.

Ex-Vice-President Charles W. Fairbanks and Mrs. Fairbanks took tiffin with the emperor and empress of Japan in Tokyo.

GENERAL NEWS.

Whether Dr. John T. Binkley of Evansville, Ind., whose body was found in the Wellington hotel, was murdered or committed suicide is a mystery the Chicago police are trying to solve.

Machinists on every branch of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad went out on a strike.

The lynching of a negro in Frankfort, Ky., has stirred Gov. Willson, who promises to do all in his power to bring the guilty persons to justice.

The Japanese government has adopted a rule requiring all of its subjects coming to this country or Canada to register at the nearest consulate of their government.

The United States Brewers' convention was urged by delegates to see that the low-class saloons are put out of business.

The body of an unidentified woman, who had a ticket for Minonk, Ill., was found in the Kankakee river near Kankakee.

The executive council of the American Federation of Labor will meet in New York on June 15 to consider the restriction of immigration.

The girls of public school No. 110 in New York have formed an organization to teach mothers how to feed and care for infants during the summer months.

Forty persons were killed when a tornado struck the village of Zephyr, Tex.

An elegant silver service was presented to the United States battleship Mississippi by Mississippians at Pascagoula, Miss.

The one hundred and first birthday of Jefferson Davis was celebrated at his birth place, Fairview, Ky., by the dedication of a memorial park.

Mrs. Sarah Richman of Springfield, was arrested on complaint of her brother-in-law, charged with stealing flowers which he had placed on her husband's grave.

Resolutions condemning the government's rule requiring the name of the guarantor on all food packages, were adopted by the National Wholesale Grocers' association.

Mr. Palmer of Pennsylvania will enlist the support of President Taft in a plan to bring the remains of William Penn to this country from England.

A fireworks display will welcome the Wright aeronauts home to Dayton, O., on June 17.

Joseph Jeskonski, 12 years old started a railroad engine in Alpena, Mich., and caused $3,000 damage. He was arrested.

The New York chamber of commerce will soon issue a report containing facts as to the growth of the United States since 1858.

The Arkansas river has left the town of Douglas, Ark., three miles inland, by making a cut-off through a narrow neck of land.

The engagement of Miss Marion Lawson, second daughter of Thomas W. Lawson, to James Fuller Lord of Chicago, has been announced in Boston, Mass.

The emperor of Japan has conferred the Order of the Rising Sun upon John J. Carty, chief engineer of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York.

An industrial exposition designed to show the diversity of the city's products was opened in Cleveland, O.

The sixth annual conference on the education of backward, truant and delinquent children at Buffalo with Superintendent C. B. Adams of the School for Boys at St. Charles, Ill., in the chair.

The American Society for Superintendents of Training Schools for Nurses met in St. Paul, Minn.

Mayor Rose welcomed to Milwaukee the American Waterworks association, which met in annual convention.

Invited by the Northwestern University School of Law, experts in criminology, met at Chicago.

Danish residents of the middle west gathered in Chicago to celebrate the sixtieth anniversary of the adoption of Denmark's constitution.

The first biennial festival of the Red River Valley Scandinavian Singers' association was held at Fergus Falls, Minn.

The American Climatological association met in annual session at Fortress Monre, Va., with President C. E. Quimby of New York in the chair.

An attempt to run street cars at night in Philadelphia, where the motormen and conductors are on strike, resulted in several riots.

Ambassador Jusserand, on behalf of the French government, presented to San Francisco a gold medal in recognition of its rapid recovery from the earthquake and fire.

Judge Anderson in the federal court at Indianapolis continued until October 11, the case of Delavan Smith and Charles Williams, who are fighting extradition to Washington where they are indicted for libel.

Claude Gatch, national bank examiner, declared the Lewiston National bank at Lewiston, Idaho, had been robbed of $137,000 in the last five years.

Delegates to the convention of Seventh Day Adventists called at the White House and were greeted by President Taft.

The tailor shop in which Andrew Johnson labored at Greeneville, Tenn., is to be preserved by the Andrew Johnson Memorial association, organized at Greeneville.

Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture and Gifford Pinchot, chief of the forestry service, left Washington for Montreal to receive the degree of D. L. from McGill university.

Five members of what is known as the "millionaire fire company" were injured while fighting a fire at Bryn Mawr, Pa.

A New York construction company has announced that it is to erect a fountain, arbor and "temple" on the estate of John D. Rockefeller at Pocantico Hills, N. Y., adjoining the new $250,000 castle.

The first day's attendance at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition in Seattle, Wash., was 89,286, according to reports.

Fighting among the clans in the Heuwah district, China, over the abduction of a bride three years ago has broken out again, according to reports from Amoy, China.

The body of Mrs. Josephine Carleton Archer, who died in Los Angeles, Cal., was exhumed at Oneida, Ill., and strychnine in large quantities found.

Judge Roberts at Centerville, Ia., sentenced John Junkin, the negro who killed Clara Rosen in Ottumwa, to be hanged.

Mrs. E. J. Shea of Eveleth, Minn., was robbed of $20,000 in Seattle, Wash., where she was visiting her sister.

William A. Pinkerton arrived in Omaha and took charge of the search for bandits who robbed the Union Pacific train. Three have been arrested.

Dr. Gould of the Norwegian hospital in New York amputated a leg and foot, then sent them to the morgue with a properly made-out certificate describing their "death." The coroner insists this makes it necessary for him to hold an inquest.

A strike of carpenters to enforce a demand for a Saturday half-holiday all the year round, with pay, and affecting about 1,000 men in Boston and its suburbs, was begun in Boston.

President Taft has decided that midshipmen in the United States navy shall not wed until they have served six years at sea.

CAR STRIKE IS SETTLED

MOTORMEN AND CONDUCTORS TO RECEIVE 22 CENTS AN HOUR.

"Swing System" Is Abolished and Ten Hours Will Constitute a Day's Work for Philadelphia Street Car Men.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"The strike has been settled. The men will receive 22 cents an hour and 10 hours will constitute a day's work." This statement, emanating from C. O. Pratt, chairman of the executive committee of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes, the leader of the striking motormen and conductors, followed by the deportation of the 450 strike breakers who came here from New York, ends the strike of the employes of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. The men go back to work immediately.

The termination of the trouble between the company and its employes was brought about primarily by State Senator James P. McNichol, the Republican leader of this city, at conferences with the traction officials and the strikers' representatives. These conferences were followed by additional meetings. The delegates chosen by the strikers met Pratt later in the day and discussed the proposition which had been made by the traction people. Some of the delegates insisted upon 25 cents per hour, while others thought 22 cents an hour and a 10-hour day was a fair compromise.

After being in session nearly all day the men agreed to accept 22 cents an hour. The old "swing system" has been abolished; 10 hours will constitute a day's work; all employes will be permitted to purchase their uniforms in the open market; all future differences are to be adjusted between the company and a grievance committee chosen by the employes. If, after an investigation by the city controller of the books of the company, it can be shown that more than 22 cents an hour can be paid without crippling the finances of the Rapid Transit Co., then the men will insist upon a further advance in wages.

TRADE CONDITIONS IMPROVE

Increased Orders, Expanding Production, Higher Prices and Wages Shown in Iron and Steel.

New York City.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Every test by which trade conditions are determined records improvement. In the iron and steel trade the progress made is, indeed, extraordinary, and again does this branch of industry give a signal proof of its power to rise out of the depths of the depression with wonderful rapidity. Increased orders, expanding production, higher prices and wages, and in some lines records approaching even the high figures before the panic—such are the reports that now come from the trade every week.

Thus the recent progress making toward full business recovery in the United States is most notable, and it is facilitated by favoring financial conditions. The effects of the late crisis are still to be seen in the large volume of commercial defaults, although this seems a passing condition, as the aggregate of these in May was the smallest of any month of this year. Business world moves ahead regardless of tariff and crop uncertainties

WOODEN STEAMER DESTROYED

Iron Age Burns to Water's Edge in Lake Erie—Captain and Crew of Nine Men Escape.

Detroit, Mich.—The wodden steamer Iron Age, 226 feet long, burned to the water's edge 10 miles southeast of Bar point in Lake Erie. Capt. William J. Willoughby and his crew of nine escaped in a small boat, but lost all their personal effects. So quickly did the vessel burn that scarcely 15 minutes elapsed between the discovery of flames around the smokestack and the order for the crew to take to the small boat. Capt. Willoughby and his crew were brought to Sandwich, Ont., by the steamer Warner.

The Iron Age, valued at $32,000 and insured for $5,000, was owned by her captain, W. J. Willoughby of Windsor, Ont., and her engineer, Richard Baxter, also of Windsor. All the members of the crew hailed from Windsor and vicinity. The vessel was engaged in carrying coal from Cleveland to Sandwich for the Pittsburg Coal Co., and was bound down light. Wrecking tugs went from Amherstburg to tow the derelict into the Detroit river.

San Francisco Gets French Medal.

San Francisco, Cal.—The marvelous reconstruction of this city since the earthquake and fire of 1906 was gracefully recognized by France today when Ambassador Jusserand, on behalf of his government, presented to San Francisco a handsome gold medal in commemoration of its achievement. The presentation was accompanied by considerable ceremony.

Alleged Counterfeiters Arrested.

New York City.—Fourteen Italians suspected of counterfeiting were arrested in a saloon here by agents of the secret service, assisted by the police, after a fight in which bottles and glasses flew freely.

Well-Known Dentist Dead.

Medford, Mass.—Dr. Daniel S. Chase, a dentist, said to have been the discoverer of the process of making gold foil, extensively used by dentists, is dead here of pneumonia. He was 90 years of age.

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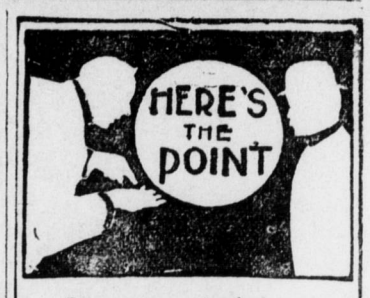

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"LES APACHES" of PARIS

BY EDWARD W. PICKARD

ONE morning not long ago a well-dressed foreigner, evidently an American tourist, was found dead on the pavement in a side street of Paris. Twisted about his neck was a dirty handkerchief with which he had been strangled; he had been brutally kicked and beaten, and in his chest were several knife wounds, any one of which would have killed him. The unfortunate man had been stripped of all money, jewelry and other valuables.

"Les Apaches," said the police, stolidly. "He should have known better than to go prowling about alone at night." And in the police records another murder was put on the score of the thugs of the "gay capital."

Paris is not proud of her Apaches, and the rest of the world has known little of these criminal bands, though theater-goers in many American cities during the last season were given a glimpse of one phase of their life in the skillful but revolting "Apache dance" imported from the French music halls. Yet the story of the origin, development and deeds of these outlaw gangs is fascinating, if not edifying.

Nearly ten years ago there appeared suddenly in the underworld of Paris a young woman so beautiful and animated that she at once attracted general attention and admiration among its other denizens. Her head was crowned with a great mass of lovely reddish-gold hair, on account of which she was promptly nicknamed "Casque d'Or," or "Golden Helmet." Suitors quickly flocked about the girl and in time she selected from among them as her protector one Lecat, known among his comrades as a clever thief and a bold fighter whom the police would be glad to have behind the bars.

All went well for a time, until there came on the scene a more attractive scoundrel, named Manda. Pretty, fickle Golden Helmet promptly transferred her affections to the newcomer, and then the trouble began. Lecat, the forsaken, vowed vengeance on his successful rival and summoned his followers to his aid. Manda also had no lack of friends, and soon all the thugs in the district of the Halles or markets had ranged themselves on one side or the other. Many a bloody battle was fought in the streets between the two bands, cheered on by their female friends, and not a few men were slain in these conflicts. Finally in one of the fiercest of the encounters Lecat himself was killed, and Golden Helmet shouted aloud in joy. But her triumph was short-lived. Another leader for Lecat's band, known as "Le Manchot," sprang up and the feud was continued with increased fury. One night Le Manchot caught Manda off his guard and plunged a knife deep into his back, and for weeks the stricken leader lay in hospital near to death. He recovered at last and was being taken in an ambulance to a cell when the bloodthirsty Le Manchot, seeing his victim escaping from his vengeance, broke through the police guard, leaped into the vehicle and stabbed Manda to death. For this murder Le Manchot is now serving a life sentence.

Golden Helmet, made notorious by the succession of battles and crimes which her attractions had instigated, now sought other conquests, and decided that the drama was her forte. Only the intervention of the police prevented her exploitation by an unscrupulous variety hall manager.

Golden Helmet then speedily sank out of sight, but the rivalry for her favor had lasting results.

Always the Apaches have one "queen" whose rule over them is absolute if temporary. One of the most notorious of these was "Chiffonnette," who reigned last year. She was 23 years old, tall and graceful, and would have been a beauty save for the loss of one eye and the presence of many scars, the results of her numerous boulevard battles. She was elaborately tattooed and was mighty proud of that adornment. Chiffonnette's career came to an untimely end last New Year's day, when she engaged in a desperate fight with another woman whom she hated. Cheered on by a crowd of her male and female subjects, the queen finally stabbed her antagonist to death with a stiletto, and now she is a prisoner in St. Lazare.

This year's queen of the Apaches is Pepe. She is only 18 years old and as pretty as a picture, but as fierce as a tigress and a fit leader for the wretches by whom she is adored.

The comparative immunity from arrest and punishment enjoyed by the Apaches is due to their really wonderful organization. They form a community by themselves, apart from all the rest of Paris, with their own laws, courts and executioners; their secret passwords, and almost their own language, for the argot they use is practically unintelligible to others. Merciless toward their victims, they are no less merciless in punishing those of their own number who are convicted of treachery.

A few years ago one Painblanc was accused of being in league with the police. He was formally brought to trial, the judge being a leader known as "l'Espagnol." The charge against Painblanc was not fully proved, but his loyalty was so doubtful that he was sentenced to exile. Rising from his chair in the obscure dive where the trial was being held, he hurled his knife at l'Espagnol with unerring accuracy, and the judge fell dead with the blade in his heart. The police rushed in and carried Painblanc to prison, the Apaches making no effort to save him.

Another alleged traitor was Albert Durin. He was condemned to death and two Apaches tied him to the rails of a tunnel of the Belt Line railway of Paris. He was found before a train passed and rescued. How many traitors have been executed by their comrades it is impossible to know, for only in such cases as the foregoing do the police learn about the operations of the "tribunals."

The Apache highwayman operates swiftly and skillfully, and lone strangers in the streets of Paris are never safe from his attacks. His favorite method, known as "le coup du Pere Francois," is to strangle his victim by twisting a handkerchief about his neck. After robbing the senseless man, the thug frequently will kill him with the knife, for the Apaches seem to delight in wanton murder done in what they choose to consider an "artistic" way. If the criminal is arrested, a score of his companions spring up apparently from the very pavement, and unless the police are in force they are speedily routed and the prisoner is rescued.

An observant visitor in Paris may see Apaches, male and female, on almost any street, but it is in the Place de la Roquette that they are to be found in crowds on ocasion. There is set up the recently restored guillotine, and whenever there is to be an execution the Apaches flock from all districts of the city to witness the ghastly sight. Silently they stand, gazing at the grim instrument of death, until the condemned individual is brought forth. Then jeers and howls break forth from the crowd, and as the knife falls the Apaches rush forward to dip their handkerchiefs in the blood. These they preserve as souvenirs, or sell them to the degenerates of the upper classes.

Strangely enough, the male Apaches nearly all look alike. They are hollow-cheeked, dark-haired, furtive-eyed, shambling of gait and sallow of complexion—always easily recognized among the throngs on the streets. The women on the other hand, as a rule, are handsome, spirited and intelligent. They dress well and give especial attention to the care of their hair, which they never cover with a hat. All of them, men and women, profess to follow some trade as a safeguard against the occasional raids of the police on their haunts.

Official Paris is somewhat dismayed by the rapidly growing menace of these Apaches bands. The number of robberies and murders attributable to them is increasing monthly, and as the victims very often are travelers from foreign lands, the crimes are having an appreciable effect on tourist business.

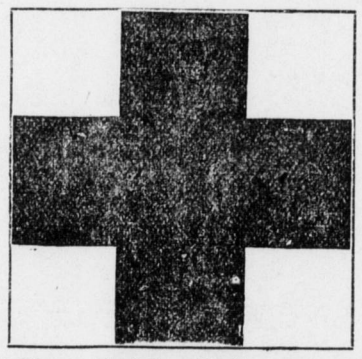
"FLAG DAY."

My Mrs. Edward Dunroy-Reed.

The general observance of June 14 as "Flag Day" suggests the thought that "Old Glory" was mature at its birth. But its infancy dates back to the earliest recorded American history.

At the time of the birth of "The Star Spangled Banner" tradition and verified history had marked some 800 years since the advent of the first European upon American soil. The Norseman and the Danes landed upon the northeastern shores of this continent several times between the years 986 and 1300, as is proven by their own records.

In 1492 Columbus planted the flag of Spain on the Island of San Salvador, one of the Bahamas, and again in 1498 at the mouth of the Orinoco in South America; but the first flag to float over the soil of the North American continent of which history tells was planted on the shore of Labrador in 1497 by Sebastian Cabot.



First Flag to Float Over North American Soil.

"Red Cross of St. George," the banner of Richard Couer de Lion in 1192, and planted at Labrador by Sebastian Cabot in 1497 as the royal ensign of Henry VII.

The first stage of evolution was marked two years before the settlement of Jamestown, when James I. of England, in honor of the union, placed the diagonal white cross of St. Andrew with the red cross of St. George, both upon a blue field. This is the first blending of the American national colors known to history. The red, white and blue is therefore as old as the country, as it appeared in the flags which floated over the Virginia settlement and was the flag of the Mayflower and of Plymouth.

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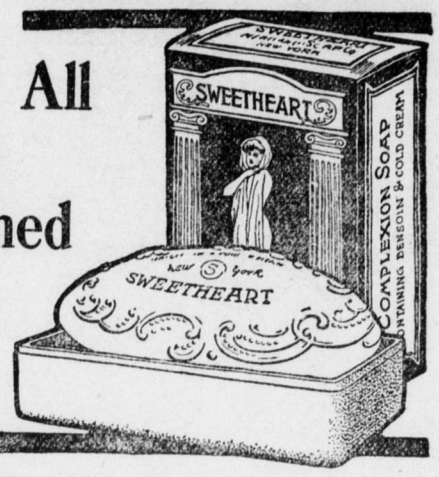

A JUSTIFIABLE EXPRESSION.

Inexperienced Caddie (after Mr. Toozle's fiifteenth miss)—Shall I make the 'ole a g bigger, sir?

WESTON, Ocean-to-Ocean Walker, Said recently: "When you feel down and out, feel there is no use living, just take your bad thoughts with you and walk them off. Before you have walked a mile things will look rosier. Just try it." Have you noticed the increase in walking of late in every community? Many attribute it to the comfort which Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes, gives to the millions now using it. As Weston has said, "It has real merit." It cures tired, aching feet while you walk. 30,000 testimonials. Order a 25c package to-day of any Druggist and be ready to forget you have feet. A trial package of ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

The Captain's Repartee.

The captain of a trans-Atlantic liner, having become irritable as a result of some minor troubles in the ship's management and the unusually large number of ridiculous inquiries made by tourists, was heading for the "bridge" when a dapper young man halted him to inquire the cause of the commotion off the starboard side of the ship. Being on the port side, the captain politely replied, with some sarcasm, he was not certain, but thought it possible that a cat fish had just had kittens.—What-to-Eat.

Continual Doubt.

"How many children have you?" said the tourist, affably.

"I dunno exactly," answered the tired-looking woman.

"You don't know?"

"Not for certain. Willie's gone fishin', Tommy's breakin' in a colt, Georgie's borrowed his father's shotgun to go hunting' an' Esmeralda Ann is thinkin' of elopin'. I never know how many I've got till supper time comes, so's I can count 'em."

Iron Ore Fields in Finland.

Though Finland has been regarded up to the present time as being extremely poor in iron ores, recent research has proved the existence of ore fields in South Finland (Nyland), and above all in the Ladoga lake district, which seem to be worth the expense of mining. For research purposes a company has been formed.

A man ought to know a great deal to acquire a knowledge of the immensity of his ignorance.—Lord Palmerston.

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ONE THING THAT WAS CERTAIN

No Doubt in the Baggageman's Mind as to Contents of What Looked Like Coffin.

In an emergency the manufacturer of Limburger cheese was forced to use strategy with a shipment. Ordinarily his product went in special cars, but in this instance no car was available and the order must be filled. Two hundred pounds of the fragrant comestible was put in a rough, oblong box, and taken to the railroad baggagercom. Then the manufacturer bought a ticket for himself and the box, and entered the train. At the first stop he went ahead to the baggage car to see that there was no trouble. He stood by the box in a disconsolate attitude and shaded his eyes with his hand. The baggageman was sympathetic. "A relative?" he asked. "Yes," answered the manufacturer, "it is my brother." "Well," said the railroad man, philosophically, "you have one consolation. He's dead, all right."—San Francisco Argonaut.

TENDER, BUT NOT LOVING.

Waiter (to customer, who had complained that his steak is not tender enough)—Not tender enough! D'you expect it to kiss you!

Is Tired of Praying.

A little girl in St. Louis the other evening was going through the usual form of prayer: "God bless mamma, and papa and make me a good girl," and so on, when all at once she semed to come to a decision. "Now that is the last time I am going to say that prayer," she said, very gravely, looking at her mother. "You are older than I am and it is your place to ask for all those things and I don't see any use in two people's asking the same thing." Since then she has firmly refused to pray, insisting that it is her mother's place to ask God for blessings.

Quite True.

Marian, a little three-year-old, is very stubborn. One day, when she was fretful, her mother, wishing to engage her mind, attracted her attention to a cow in a vacant lot and asked what it was.

Marian replied, "hoss" (horse) and stubbornly refused to give in. Her mother, wishing to get a correct answer without scolding, asked: "What eats grass besides a horse?" "More hoss," was the quick response.—Delineator.

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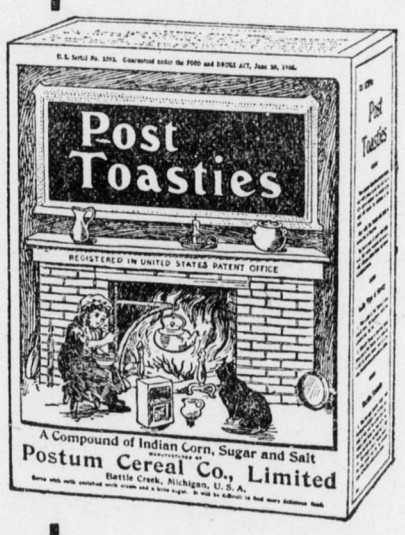
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Postum Cereal Co., Limited
Battle Creek, Michigan, U.S.A.

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is a most delicious answer to appetite.

It is, at the same time, full of the food-goodness of White Corn, and toasted to a crisp delicious brown.

"The Taste Lingers."

Popular pkg 10c; Large Family size 15c.

GREAT SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

Commencing June 14th and Continuing one week, we will place on sale our entire stock of Millinery, White Goods, Corsets, Hosiery and Ribbons

MONDAY, June 14th we will sell TRIMMED HATS at 1-3 and 1-2 the original price. On this day we will have a lot of new hats to show, and you will get the very latest things at reduced prices.

Tuesday, June 15th

Our entire stock of Flowers at 1-3 off.

Ostrich Plumes, Special Value

The woman who owns good plumes has her hat problem three-fourths settled. Summer and winter they are stylish and beautiful. Black or white you will find them the finest millinery investment

All Plumes at 1-3 off.

Wednesday, June 16th

RIBBON DAY.

1000 yards of Ribbons at savings. An unusual sale of Summer Ribbons, more than 1000 yards at far less than Regular prices.

Ribbons for practically every use included, of the same sterling quality as we sell in in regular stock and in the demand.

90c Fancy Ribbon at - 65c
60c Fancy Ribbon at - - 45c
60c Flowered Ribbon at 40c
30c Messaline Ribbon at 20c
20 Black Taffeta Ribbon 14c

Thursday, June 17th

We have some very desirable things left in ladies and children's Muslin Underwear, which will be sold at greatly reduced prices as we are closing out this line of goods. Also a special sale on Hosiery

Friday, June 18th

WHITE GOODS DAY.

Everything in white yard goods is included in this sale. Crisp, beautiful fabrics, all fresh and new. Just such materials as every woman is wanting right now for waists, for negligees, for dresses.

Persian Lawns,
French Lawns,
Plain and Fancy Flaxons,
Nainsooks,
Embroideries,
All Over Laces.

At prices that will surprise you.

Saturday, June 19th--Corset Day

This is an opportunity to buy one of those good desirable LA FRANCE Corsets at a big reduction.

The $3.75 Corset for $2.50
The $2.00 Corset for $1.50
The $1.50 Corset for $1.00

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ROYAL
Baking Powder
Absolutely Pure

A wholesome cream of tartar baking powder. Makes the finest, lightest, best flavored biscuit, hot-breads, cake and pastry.

Royal Baking Powder is free from alum and phosphatic acids

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, letter or personally.

Mrs. Ed. Morse and children have moved to St. Marys.

A. E. Smith and D. J. Wykoff, of Sinnamahoning, transacted business in Emporium on Monday.

The Misses Mary and Clara Fredette of this piace, were business callers at St. Marys last Tuesday evening.

W. G. Gilbert and wife are spending the week at Buffalo, looking after business interests in the city.

Dr. Leon R. Felt went to Philadelphia last Thursday, expecting to meet his father there, on his return from Florida.

E. D. White, James Wright and son Dawson, left on the noon flyer to-day for Lebanon, where they will visit for ten days.

Rev. Radcliff, Rector of Grace Episcopal Church, at Ridgway, was a business caller at this place last Saturday afternoon.

Mesdames Charles Seger and E. D. White departed for Buffalo this morning, where they will visit relatives and transact business.

Harry Hogan, better known as "Grover" and "Bill McKinley," has decided to remain at Binghamton, N. Y., for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and daughter Grace, of Keating Summit, visited in Emporium, last Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Rishell, West Fifth street.

Mrs. Samuel Shadman has been granted a widow's pension secured by Congressman Barclay. The aged lady left on Monday to visit at Nesbett, Pa., for a few days.

Mrs. I. K. Hockley, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gillis, raturned to her home in Emporium to-day.—Tuesday's Kane Republican.

C. Leslie Freck, of Sheffield, was the guest of W. S. Sterner, on Tuesday and Wednesday ot this week. The young man is a son of Chas. G. Freck, a former Emporiumite.

Floyd VanWert, of New Castle, is visiting friends at this place for a few days. Floyd has just closed his third year in University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, as a medical student. One year more and he will be a full fledged M. D.

Chas. W. Shaffer, of New York city, came up last Saturday to look over the powder boom situation, returning home on Tuesday noon. Mr. Shaffer is secretary of the National Powder Co., and a large holder of Emporium Powder Company stock.

Homer Hayes, who has been in the employ of the Emporium Machine Company for some time, departed for Niagara Falls last Sunday, where he will open a dancing school and will be assisted by Joe Johnson, a former employee of the Blinzler barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. George Converse departed this morning for Granby, Missouri, where they will visit relatives for a month. Mr. Converse has not been in the best of health for the last month and hopes the visit will do him good. The PRESS will follow them every week during their visit.

G. L. Page, of Warren, formerly of Cameron, was in town on Monday, calling on old friends. Mr. Page has recently been appointed Signal Station inspector between Kane and Erie, with headquarters at Warren, a position he is eminently qualified to fill. Mr. Page has host of friends in Little Cameron who wish him well, and he deserves it. Mr. Page came to Cameron on account of the serious condition of his grandmother, Mrs. Jane L. Rockwell, in her 69th year. We understand Mrs. Rockwell is very low and possibly cannot last long.

Miss Jennie Robinson was a social caller at Ridgway the last of the week.

John A. McMullin, of Bennetts Branch, transacted business in Emporium on Monday.

Robert Mills, of Keating Summit, was guest at the home of F. B. Metz and family last Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Seger returned to her home last Sunday evening after a very pleasant visit at Oil City.

Miss Merill Swartz, of this place, is spending the week at Buffalo, visiting relatives.

James Haley, of this place, was a guest of relatives at Ridgway last Sunday.

Miss Winnie Gilmartin, of this place, spent Sunday with relatives at Johnsonburg.

Hon. J. A. Wykoff, of First Fork, was a business caller at Emporium last Monday.

S. J. Hauber, of St. Marys, was a business caller at this place the last of the week.

Mrs. William Roussey, of this place, was a guest at the home of her parents at St. Marys last Sunday.

H. N. Knight and wife, of St. Marys, were guests at the home of W. G. Gilbert and wife, last Saturday.

Chas. Cummings, of St. Marys, spent Sunday the guest of his parents, John Cummings and wife, on Broad street.

W. W. Mattison, who is well known at Emporium, has returned to his home at Ridgway, after spending the winter at Emporia, Florida.

F. H. Dodson returned from Galeton the last of the week, where he was transacting business. Mr. Dodson expects to go back to Galeton in a few days.

Dr. E. O. Bardwell departed for a short vacation yesterday and will visit relatives and friends at Buffalo, Chicago, and Brevier, Missouri. At the latter place he will be the guest of his brother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hackenberg went to Austin on Tuesday morning, where they are guests at the homes of their daughters, Mrs. W. S. Walker and Mrs. Lora Erhard.

Miss Bessie McQuay entertained the Girl's Sewing Circle at her home on Vine street, last Thursday evening. Miss Marion Rentz will entertain the Circle this evening, at her home on West Fourth street.

Misses Abbie and Edith Zierden, of Johnsonburg, and Ella Zitler, of Punxsutawney, wers guests at the home of Mrs. Charlotte Hillyand and family the last of the week. The ladies are all students at the Darlington Sminary, at West Chester, and were returning to their homes for the summer vacation.

The many county friends of Mr. C. G. Minick, of Ridgway, the bark superintendent of the Elk Tanning Company, will be pleased to hear, that he has so far recovered from the effects of a recent operation, that he has been able to make a visit at the offices of the firm, having called at the offices last Friday morning.

John E. Smith, a prosperous merchant and honored citizen of Sterling Run, Cameron county, was in Ridgway Wednesday as the guest of his brother-in-law, M. P. Whiting. Mr. Smith has financial interests in the Penfield Coal Co., and he and Mr. Whiting went to Penfield this morning on business.—Ridgway Daily Record.

While visiting at Lebanon for a few days, James Wright will take a run down into Maryland to see his old mother—the first time in fifteen years.

Mrs. Alec. McInness, Sr., has been visiting in Emporium for several days, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Trotter, old and dear friends of the kind hearted lady.

Representative Jas. A. McKean and Fred D. Gallup, accompanied by several ladies came over from Smethport last Sunday in Mr. Gallup's touring car and stopped at New Warner for dinner.

Mrs. F. F. Day has been confined to her bed the past week.

Mrs. C. H. Eichelberger and children, of Union Bridge, Md., are visiting John Koehler and wife.

Claton Fry, of Williamsport, was a social caller at the home of Henry Auchu and family last Sunday.

Charles Burnes, of Cattataugus county, N. Y., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank Mundy, on West Fourth street.

C. A. Cronk and wife, of Houghton, N. Y., are guests of Walter G. Morrison and wife, being parents of Mrs. M. They will remain here a couple weeks.

Mrs. H. R. Miller, of Philadelphia, arrived in Emporium yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chas. E. Crandell and family, for some time.

Mrs. John Cole, of Keokuk, Iowa, arrived in Emporium on Tuesday, on account of the critical condition of her mother, Mrs. R. Warner.

Miss Edna Auchu and J. H. Stephens were guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Stephens and family at Coudersport last Sunday.

Chas. T. Logan and wife, of Binghamton, N. Y., are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Logan on Fifth street. Mr. and Mrs. Logan departed for their home yesterday,

Miss Charlotte Spence and the Rev. J. L. Bogue and Arthur V. Orton, went to Sterling Run and Hicks Run, this morning, looking after the interests of the Sunday Schools, which belong to the Cameron County Sunday School Association.

Granulated Sugar 25 pound sacks for $1.45, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Old School Editor Gone.

Colonel Alexander K. McClure, aged 81 years, passed away, at his country home at Wallingford, Delaware county, Pa., on Sunday.

Only a few days ago Colonel McClure returned to his duties as prothonotary of the state supreme court. This was followed by a relapse, which almost cost his life. Since then he had been at his country home, where he had been slowly losing his little remaining strength, though putting up a grim battle against death. That he anticipated his end within a short time was shown by the disposition he made of his business affairs since retiring to Wallingford. Several times he had been in conference with his brother-in-law who handled his interests during the past week.

Colonel McClure was born in Perry county, Pennsylvania, and when only 19 years of age became the editor of the Juniata Sentinel. Two years later he was appointed on the staff of Governor W. F. Johnson, whom he had supported in his newspaper. He first gained political prominence in 1853 when he was nominated and defeated, for auditor general.

Interesting Letter From the Misses Blumle.

VENICE, ITALY, MAY 22, 1909.

DEAREST PAPA AND MAMA:—

No doubt you will be surprised to hear from us from Venice, but we wished to visit Venice, so arrived here Wednesday noon and leave again tomorrow for Milan, our last stop in Italy.

We secured tickets at Rome which entitled us to visit Florence, Venice, Milan, and then via St. Gothard's tunnel to Luzerne, Zurich and then Munich, at the cost of $23.40 each, which covers our railroad fare, second class to Munich, and the ticket is good for 48 days. We are arranging our trip so as not to travel by night, and to always get to the next stop in the day time.

We journed from Rome to Florence, and visited that city all by ourselves without any trouble, and also came to Venice without company. However, on our way to Venice we met some very nice people, who were at the same hotel that we were while at Florence, and are at this hotel now, and we have been taking in Venice with them, and they also go to Milan to-morrow with us. There are four in their party, and come from Melbourne, Australia and New Zealand. Two of the crowd are making a trip around the world.

If all is well, think we will be at Rosenheim in seven or eight more days, as we only stay one day at Milan.

Florence, while a very pretty city the only thing of interest there is the cathedral, art galleries, park, and Florenties Mosaic works, which we took in.

Found Venice a beautiful place, and something out of the ordinary. This place is all composed of islands, which are joined to some extent by bridges, but some cannot be reached unless one takes a steamer, which ply from station to station the same as a street car, and 10 centisme (one cent) is the fare. A street car or horse is unknown of here, and one must either walk or take a gondola or boat.

We were rather fortunate to get here at just this time, as Wednesday evening the Queen of England arrived in her private yacht, together with Prince George and the Dowager Queen of Russia. The royal palace is right at the Bay, and within a block of where we are staying, so we saw them coming to shore. Thursday night an illuminated procession of gondolas and barges was held on the Grand Canal in her honor, and it was simply beautiful. All of us were on the water in a boat and enjoyed the scene. The Queen's band was in the center of the parade on a barge in the shape of a large crown and simply a mass of electric lights. It took us two hours to cover the Grand Canal, and searchlights were thrown from different towers. This place is filled with American and English people and we always meet some one to talk to.

The weather all through Italy is getting very warm and the thermometer registers 90 in the shade at noon. At Venice it is very pleasant though, as we get a good breeze from the Adriatic Sea, which surrounds Venice.

All of us have been well right along, and have nothing to complain about. Trust all is going well at home, and that you are not worrying about us.

We are staying right next to St. Mark's Cathedral at St. Marks Square, and wish you could see the pigeons all around the square. There seems to be many thousands of them, and all day long people are feeding them. They are all the same color and so tame that they light on a person's hat or on a person's arm and eat out of your hand. People feed them corn and peas, which you can buy from venders at one cent a bag.

We are going out this morning to one of the islands to visit the largest glass factory in the world, where the Venetian Glass is made. The streets and side canals here are very narrow, so narrow in fact that you can almost reach across and the houses are built right up to the water. Don't think anyone has a cellar here as they never could keep the water out.

Linda, one of the islands is fixed up similar to Atlantic City, and people flock there to go in bathing. You don't see any grass or trees around here excepting at "The Gardens", the only park, and flowers there seem a curiosity. The country from Bologne, where we changed cars coming here, to this place is very level, but from Florence to Bologne it is far from being so, and through that district in travelling 2½ hours we passed through 48 tunnels, many of them being over three miles long. The mountains around Bologne are very high, and the peaks of them covered with snow, while down in the valley the heat was terrible.

Think I have told you all that is new just at the present, so will bring this to a close.

Trusting all are well, and with fondest love, your daughter,

TRESS.

Card of Thanks.

Editor Press:—

We wish to thank the kind neighbors and friends who assisted us during the illness and death of our son Lowell, also for the lovely flowers and to the choir for their music rendered.

VERNIE LEWIS AND FAMILY.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are not only antiseptic, but allay pain quickly by their healing properties. Sold by all druggists.

DeWitt's Carbonized Witch Hazel Salve is good for cuts, burns and bruises, big or little, but is especially good for piles. Sold by all druggists.

Every tablespoonful of Kodol will digest 2½ pounds of food. Kodol will digest what you eat, and in that way will cure you of dyspepsia, and indigestion. It is sold by all druggists.

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MILLING COMPANY.

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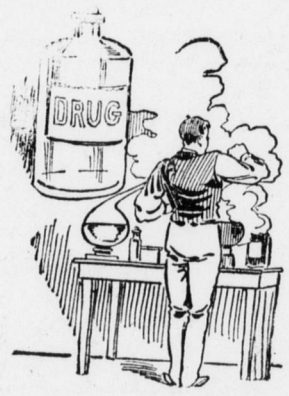
Emporium, Pa., June 10, 1909.

NEMOPHILA, per sack	$1 85
Felt's Fancy, "	1 90
Pet Grove, "	1 90
Graham, "	95
Rye, "	75
Patent Meal, "	55
Buckwheat Flour	85
Buckwheat Flour, 10lb sack	35
Coarse Meal per 100,	1 70
Chop Feed, "	1 70
Matchless Egg Maker, per 100	2 10
Sylva Chick Feed, per 100	2 10
Cracked Corn per 100	1 70
Screenings "	1 70
Chicken Wheat "	2 15
Oil Meal "	1 90
Middlings,	1 70
White Middlings,	1 75
Bran,	1 60
Corn, per bushel,	95
Oyster Shells, per 100	75
White Oats, per bushel,	68
Seed Oats per bushel	70
Buckwheat	
Choice Clover Seed, Choice Timothy Seed, Choice Millet Seed,	At Market Prices

Disinfect



Some disinfectants and germicides might be classed as drugs but, you do not want to be drugged just now with a bug killer. However, now is the time to think of getting after the rose bugs and currant worms.

We have a full line of the "remedies" for that class of pests. Also a non-poisonous bed bug exterminator in small cans.

R. C. Dodson

Choicest Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

SPRING BROOK CREAMERY BUTTER

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The Satisfactory Store

FRESH CRISP CRACKERS and WAFERS

HERE'S A POINTER

If you are seeking information about groceries, this is the place to find it. We make it to your interest to come to us. Our stock is varied and rightly priced. Try us, and be convinced.

Offer this Week Friday and. Saturday

Sugar—25lb Bag best granulated Sugar, $1.45
25c cake Walter Baker & Co's Chocolate 20c.
18c Prunes, the large meaty ones 15c a lb.
3 lbs choice Carolina Head Rice 25c.
Fard Dates, 8c lb.
20c Blended Coffee, 18c, 2 lbs for 35c.
12c canned Peas, Early June, the can 10c.
Cleaned Currants a pkge 9c.
VanCamps Mock Turtle Soup three 10c cans 25c
50c Uncolored Japan Tea, Basket Fired a lb 40c.
15c Heinz Spiced pickles, 2 bottles for 25c.
Dunham's Shredded Cocoanut a lb 35c.

Fresh Caught Lake Fish LEAVE ORDERS FOR DELIVERY FRIDAY MORNING

The lake fish are coming fine now and with the present high price of meat are cheap.

FREE DELIVERY to all parts of Town
Twice Each Day

You Get Better Values Here.

J. H. DAY,

Phone 6. Emporium.

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THAT TIME FLIES AND THE FIRST THING YOU KNOW ALL THE CHOICE THINGS WILL BE GONE—THEY ARE ALL CHOICE AT OUR STORE - BUT SOME ARE PRETTIER
BUSTER
R. F. Outcault
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TIME FLIES

THE GOODS FOR THIS SEASON WERE DESIGNED AND MADE LONG AGO. SO IT IS ALWAYS. THERE ARE MORE KINDS OF CHOICE THINGS THAN ONE--FIRST CHOICE, SECOND CHOICE, THIRD CHOICE, AND SO ON; YOU WISH THE FIRST CHOICE DO YOU NOT? IF YOU COME NOW AND BUY YOU WILL GET THE FIRST CHOICE. TO THESE CHOICE ARTICLES WE WOULD ESPECIALLY CALL YOUR ATTENTION,

$29.00 SUITS REDUCED TO $23.20
$25.00 SUITS REDUCED TO $20.00
$22.50 SUITS REDUCED TO $18.00
$20.00 SUITS REDUCED TO $16.00
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the full confidence of the Well-Informed of the World and the Commendation of the most eminent physicians it was essential that the component parts of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna should be known to and approved by them; therefore, the California Fig Syrup Co. publishes a full statement with every package. The perfect purity and uniformity of product, which they demand in a laxative remedy of an ethical character, are assured by the Company's original method of manufacture known to the Company only.

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HOW CARELESS!

He—There was nearly a bad fire at the theater.

She—How was that?

He—The villain lit a cigarette and tossed the match into the snow!

Women to Fight Tuberculosis.

One million women, representing cities, towns, villages and isolated rural settlements in every section of the country, are to-day enlisted in a campaign against tuberculosis, according to a statement issued by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. In legislatures, in congress at Washington, in society gatherings, in churches and clubs, through speaking and writing—in every possible way, the women of the country are persistently fighting consumption.

With an organization established in every state of the country, under the direction of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and with associated clubs in Alaska, the Hawaiian islands, Porto Rico and the canal zone, the women of the country have entered a systematic crusade to carry the message of the prevention and cure of tuberculosis into every American home.

As the Boy Saw the Lesson.

Prof. Charles Zeublin of the University of Chicago was discussing at a dinner the greatest paintings of the world.

"The legends that are beautiful and immortal," he said, "have in them turths that we all, according to our kind, take home. This is true in likeness of immortal works of art—pictures, poems, songs. For different people they have different messages. For instance, in my native Pendleton some of the mothers used to cut the children's hair. They did it with shears and a bowl. The operation was often painful, and the result was never elegant.

"In Sunday school a Pendleton teacher once told her pupils the tragic story of Samson and Deliah. Then she turned to a little boy:

"'What do you learn, Joe,' she said, 'from the Samson story?'

"'It don't never pay,' piped Joe, 'to have a woman cut a feller's hair.'"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

OVER THE FENCE
Neighbor Says Something.

The front yard fence is a famous council place on pleasant days. Maybe to chat with some one along the street, or for friendly gossip with next door neighbor. Sometimes it is only small talk but other times neighbor has something really good to offer.

An old resident of Baird, Texas, got some mighty good advice this way once.

He says:

"Drinking coffee left me nearly dead with dyspepsia, kidney disease and bowel trouble, with constant pains in my stomach, back and side, and so weak I could scarcely walk.

"One day I was chatting with one of my neighbors about my trouble and told her I believed coffee hurt me. Neighbor said she knew lots of people to whom coffee was poison and she pleaded with me to quit it and give Postum a trial. I did not take her advice right away but tried a change of climate, which did not do me any good. Then I dropped coffee and took up Postum.

"My improvement began immediately and I got better every day I used Postum.

"My bowels became regular in two weeks, all my pains were gone. Now I am well and strong and can eat anything I want to without distress. All of this is due to my having quit coffee, and to the use of Postum regularly.

"My son who was troubled with indigestion thought that if Postum helped me so, it might help him. It did, too, and he is now well and strong again.

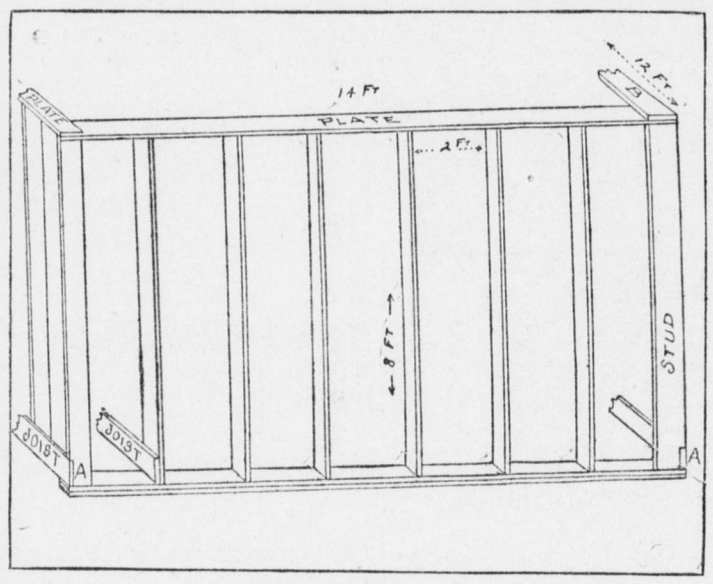
"We like Postum as well as we ever liked the coffee and use it altogether in my family in place of coffee and all keep well." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in Pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

PORTABLE GRANARY IS HANDY ON ANY FARM

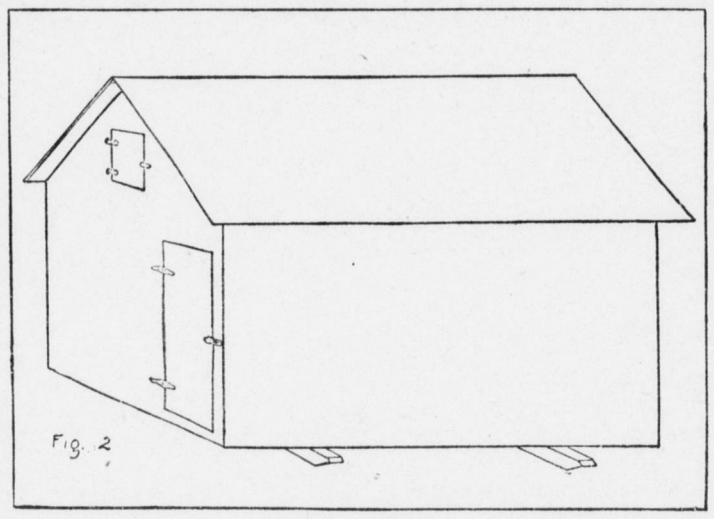
Detailed Plans for the Construction of Building to Hold Thousand Bushels of Grain that Can Be Moved.

To contain a thousand bushels a granary should be 12x14 feet with 8-foot studs. The frame should be made of planks 2x6 inches fastened by 4-inch spikes. To form the side frame take three pieces 2x6 inches 14 feet long and eight pieces 8 feet long, the former for plate and sills, the latter for studs. On two of the 14-foot pieces mark off 2-foot spaces and at these places mark across with a try square the places where the studs are to be nailed to the plate and upper layer of the sill, but notice that the studs at the ends of the side frames are put flat instead of across; also that these and all the end studs have a piece cut out to allow the joists at the ends of the building to be let into the end studs. (See A, Fig. 1.) Then



Side Frame of Granary.

when the flooring is nailed to these joists it holds the end wall firm against the pressure of the wheat. After spiking down through the plate into the studs and up through one plank of the sill into the other end of the studs, the lower plank of the sill may be spiked to the upper plank of the sill. (See Fig. 1.) Make the other side frame in the same way, then raise them up and fasten the bottoms together with the two end joists and brace with slant braces in such a position that the side frames are just at right angles to the joists. The tops may then be fastened together by spiking the end plates on top of the side plates (See B, Fig. 1), but first marking on it the places where the end studs are to be spiked



Frame of Granary.

two feet apart as before. These end studs are cut similar to the corner ones, except that they must be made two inches (or the thickness of the plank) longer than the corner ones, so as to reach the higher plate and fit on the inside of the end joist as before. The other joists may now be laid across and spiked at each end to the side studs, also spiked to the sills.

The gables are formed by putting up a pair of rafters at each end and spiking to these, upright pieces of 2x4-inch scantling resting on the end plate and spiked to it. Two of these should be placed in such a position at each end that a small door wide enough for a man to get through can be cut between them. The elevator spout of the threshing machine can be put into whichever of these doors is more convenient to allow the machine to be set with the wind. The other rafters may now be raised and braced in position.

Now cut out six feet of one of the end studs to form a door four feet wide, and nail a piece of plank across the top of this space, to form the top of the door frame, and support the short piece of stud left above. This width of door will allow a fanning mill to be taken in to clean up seed grain, etc.

When laying the floor it is a good plan to nail pieces of board on the under side as you go, to cover any knot holes; also nail small pieces of board on the two sides of the studs (three sides in the end studs) even with the top edge of the joist for the double purpose of supporting the floor and preventing wheat from sifting through the cracks, if you do not make a perfect fit of the flooring round the studs.

To move these granaries make two skids from timber 4x6 inches, 14 feet long with a block spiked on the back end. Round up the other end like a sleigh runner and bore a hole, into which a large clevis may be fastened. Pry up one end of granary at a time and put the skids in position underneath the granary. Hitch two horses to each clevis by a chain and by having two careful drivers or by tying their heads together as a four-horse team for one driver the granary can be hauled where you wish. Pry up again and remove the skids. It is a good plan to have two planks fastened together just like the sills to lay under the middle of the joists as a support.

The best material for covering sides and floor is six-inch flooring, but many people use narrow shiplap. It is also economy to paint as soon as finished. The siding needs to be well nailed with three-inch wire nails.

LOOK NOW TO DRY FARMING

Method of Cultivating Lands Hitherto Considered Arid.

"Dry farming, quickly defined, is the art of raising grain, fruit and vegetables on lands hitherto considered arid, and of no value except for sheep grazing," announces John F. Burns, secretary treasurer of the Dry Farming congress. "Not only the United States, but a large portion of the whole world is interested in dry farming, and at our convention at Cheyenne a few weeks ago, representatives from Canada, Mexico, Siberia, Australia and the Transvaal were interested participants. The growing population of the world demands that these hitherto neglected areas be made to produce and the area of arid lands devoted to farming will grow rapidly from year to year.

"In dry farming, a region in which less than eight inches of moisture falls is of little use, but where the rainfall or snowfall amounts to more than eight inches good crops of grain and fruit are being successfully grown at this time.

"For wheat, I would recommend plowing in the fall to a depth of at least 12 inches; then following up with the harrow in the same direction as the plow. In a few weeks another harrowing would be in order, and through the year I would harrow frequently, in order to have the soil retain all the moisture in the atmosphere that could be obtained. In the following fall I would plant red winter wheat, and when this was up a few inches I would run a harrow over it to tear out a certain proportion of the plants. Later on I would repeat the harrowing process. I have known 60 bushels of wheat to be raised in arid regions by such a process, which, of course, allows of only one crop every two years."

FOR THE HOSTESS

Advice and Instructions on Matters of General Interest—Suggestions for Entertainments, Etc., by Madame Merri.

Omens of the Wedding Day.

June—the month allotted to brides and roses—is probably the most popular season of the year, as it brings to many the fulfillment of heart's desires. It is said—by whom no one seems to know—that if the day chosen by a girl for her wedding proves to be rainy that her life will be filled with more sorrow than joy. Be that as it may, one of the very happiest of marriages was made on Friday, on the 13th day of the month and at the hour set for the ceremony there was a most terrific thunderstorm. In spite of the fact that for years Saturday was considered the most unlucky of wedding days, of late it has been chosen by brides of even international fame.

If the carriage containing a bride should meet a funeral procession the driver must be instructed to turn some other way. If he does not, fate decrees that the bride will soon die.

To avoid the possibility of any bad luck on her wedding day, the bride-elect should not offer to assist in washing or wiping the family dishes, for if by chance she should happen to break a bit of china it would be an exceedingly evil omen—the old record does not say what, but it would be prudent not to tempt fate.

Gray is the color a bride should choose for her going-away gown if she wishes to wear what for ages has been considered the proper thing to insure good luck. Perhaps that is the reason that there is always a steady demand for this color.

Some one gets hold of these old superstitions and customs, and the public thinks it is acquiring something new just because they are so old that every one has fogotten all about them.

When the cake known as the "groom's cake" is passed at a wedding supper the girl who gets the longest piece will be the first one to marry. Maidens who are anxious to leave the state of single blessedness should consult the head waiter and see that some bits of cake are cut longer than the others.

Fate was certainly kind when she decreed that for a bride to shed tears on her wedding was a good omen, for it would take a pretty stoical young woman to go through breaking home ties without a few tears, no matter how alluring the prospect of the new life.

Snow falling on a wedding day augurs well for the happy couple, being a prophecy of great happiness.

For girls who have been asked to set the day it might be well to remember that June 3, 11, 19 and 21 are considered by the fates to be especially propitious on which to have the knot tied.

June Birthday Party.

June, the time or roses and perfect days, is a favorite month for all sorts of delightful parties. It is the season for departures to shore and country, and many of the functions are in the nature of farewell parties.

A little girl whom the gods favored by ushering into this mortal sphere on a sunny June day always has her birthday celebrations on the lawn. Each year this affair, which was always a costume party or a character party of some kind, was looked forward to not only by the participants in the pretty pageant, but by the grown-ups who were asked to view the scene from the broad piazzas.

The invitations, which were issued two weeks in advance, requested the guests to come costumed as the flower designated. These notes were written in gold ink on pale pink paper, tied to a pink rosebud; they were delivered from a rose-trimmed basket.

The girls came as roses in all varieties. Then there were lily of the valley, violet, tiger lily, daisy, pansy, black-eyed Susan, etc. The boys were sunflowers, bachelor's buttons, tulips, red carnation and chrysanthemums and nasturtiums. Jack-in-the-Pulpit and Johnny Jump-Up were also represented. Crepe tissue paper and cheap gauzes, tinsels and cambrics entered largely into the construction of the costumes worn.

Soap bubbles occupied the first part of the afternoon, the tennis court being the place selected for the contest. The girls blew the bubbles and the boys fanned them over the net; the opposite side tried to keep the bubbles from going over. The side getting ten bubbles over the first won a prize. Then things were reversed, and the boys blew and the girls fanned. Glycerin in the proportion of a tablespoonful to a pint of water was used for blowing the bubbles and the pipes had a rim of soap around them inside the bowl which causes the fairy balls to grow to immense size; the glycerin gives lasting qualities unknown to plain water. There were prizes for this contest, consisting of flower-shaped candy boxes filled with candied violets and rose petals.

At five o'clock supper was served from a long table over which a canopy of paper roses had been made by putting up tall stakes at regular intervals from which these garlands were festooned; the roof was made by criss-crossing heavy wire and covering with vines. The roses were suspended by fine wire. The effect was excellent.

Making the roses had furnished the children of the house pleasant occupation for more than one rainy spring day; having helped in the preparations, they were most keenly interested in the success of the party.

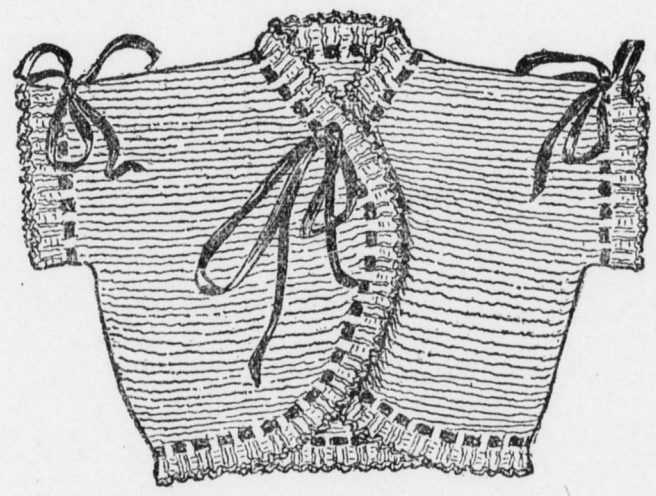
The refreshments consisted of minced chicken sandwiches, lemonade, sugar waters, strawberry ice cream and a huge birthday cake wreathed in pink roses. Pink rose holders held the candles and each child had a wee pink iced cake with a wee pink candle in front of his place to take home.

MADAME MERRI.

A Color Study.

A young woman at the theater the other night had bright red hair—not the lovely auburn or famous Titian, but just plain red, and blue eyes, says the Boston Globe. She would have been hopelessly mediocre had she worn pink, or worse still, light blue. Attired as she was in a long sweeping gown of all black, with not a speck of color anywhere, she was transformed into a striking beauty. Extremely long black jet earrings lent a decorative touch, and brought out unexpected red-gold lights in her hair.

Knitted Jacket



Here are directions for a jacket, 38-40 in bust. Cast on 54 stitches. Knit across plain.

First Row.—Knit two, seam or purl two for ten rows.

Eleventh Row.—Holes for ribbon, slip one, over and narrow, over and narrow to end of row.

Twelfth Row.—Knit plain.

Thirteenth Row.—Knit four, widen the fifth by knitting front and back of stitch, widen in tenth stitch, 15th, 20th and so on to end of row. Knit plain for 42 ridges or 84 rows.

Shoulder.—Knit 22 stitches, bind off intervening stitches, knit 22 for other shoulder. Take the first 22 off onto a safety pin. Knit last 22 for six ridges or 12 times across. Then widen one stitch at the beginning of each row toward the neck until you have 42 stitches. Knit 15 ridges or 30 times across. Then narrow one stitch at the beginning of each row at the front until you have 28 left. Take these off on a safety pin. Knit other front and side to correspond.

Border.—Take the 28 stitches on needle, pick up one stitch on each ridge on front. Then take the other 28.

Knit plain—

Second Row.—Knit one, thread over and narrow to the end of needle.

Third Row.—Knit plain.

Fourth Row.—K 2, seam or purl two for eight rows. Knit loose and bind off loosely. Sew up under the arm. Crochet edge of silk tie in the silk, crochet three chain and one slip stitch in every stitch.

Second Row.—Chain four stitches, catch in top of chain. For 32 or 34 bust, use 44 stitches. Take 20 stitches off for shoulder. Knit four ridges or eight rows. For front widen until you have 38 stitches. Then knit five ridges, narrow one until 24 stitches. Follow directions for larger size.

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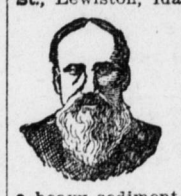

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SERIAL STORY

THE LOVES of the LADY ARABELLA

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SYNOPSIS.

At 14 years of age Admiral Sir Peter Hawkshaw's nephew, Richard Glyn, fell deeply in love at first sight with Lady Arabella Stormont, who spurned his attentions. The lad, an orphan, was given a berth as midshipman on the Ajax by his uncle. Giles Vernon, nephew of Sir Thomas Vernon, became the boy's pal. They attended a theater where Hawkshaw's nephew saw Lady Arabella. Vernon met Philip Overton, next in line for Sir Thomas Vernon's estate. They started a duel which was interrupted. Vernon, Overton and Hawkshaw's nephew found themselves attracted by pretty Lady Arabella. The Ajax in battle defeated French warships in the Mediterranean. Richard Glyn got £2,000 prize money. He was called home by Lady Hawkshaw as he was about to "blow in" his earnings with Vernon. At a Hawkshaw party Glyn discovered that Lady Arabella was a poor but persistent gambler. He talked much with her cousin Daphne. Lady Arabella again showed love for gaming. Later she held Glyn and Overton prisoners, thus delaying the duel. In the Overton-Vernon duel, neither was hurt. Lady Arabella humiliated Richard by her pranks.

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

"Sir Peter," said Lady Hawkshaw, in the same awful voice, "I unexpectedly entered this room a few moments ago, and the sight that met my eyes was Arabella struggling in the arms of this young ruffian, Richard Glyn, who was kissing her with the greatest fury imaginable."

Sir Peter looked at me very hard, and after a moment said:

"Have you nothing to say for yourself, young gentleman?"

"Sir," I replied, trying to assume a firm tone, "I will only say that Lady Arabella, meaning to treat me like her lap-dog, kissed me on the nose, as she does that beast of hers; and as an officer and a gentleman, I felt called upon pay her back; and for every smack she gave me on my nose, I gave her two back in the mouth, to show her that an officer in his majesty's sea service is a man, and not a lap-dog."

"Do you hear, Sir Peter?" asked Lady Hawkshaw, with terrible earnestness. "He does not deny his guilt. What think you of his conduct?"

"Think, ma'am!" shouted Sir Peter, "I think if he had done anything else, it would have been clean against the articles of war, and I myself would have seen that he was kicked out of his majesty's service. I shall send for my solicitor to-morrow morning to put a codicil to my will, giving Richard Glyn £1,000 at my decease."

At this the gentlemen roared, and Lady Arabella, seizing the lap-dog, hid her face in his long hair, while even Daphne smiled and blushed. As for Lady Hawkshaw, for once she was disconcerted and walked out, glaring over her shoulder at Sir Peter.

There was much laughter, Sir Peter joining in; but after a while the gentlemen left, and Sir Peter went out, and Daphne, who I saw was disgusted with my conduct, walked haughtily away, in spite of Lady Arabella's playful protests that she was afraid to remain alone in the room with me.

One thing had puzzled me extremely, and that was her calmness, and even gayety when she had no means of knowing how Overton had come off in the meeting, and I said to her:

"How did you know, or do you know, whether Philip Overton and Giles Vernon are alive at this moment?"

"By your face, Dicky," she answered, trying to give me a fillip on the nose, which I successfully resisted. "I was in agony until I saw your face. Then I gave one great breath of joy and relief, and my play with my lap-dog, which had been torture to me, became delight. But tell me the particulars."

"No, madam," said I; "I tell you nothing."

This angered her, and she said, after a moment:

"I presume you will take an early opportunity of telling Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw that I saw Philip Overton alone in this house, at five o'clock yesterday morning?"

"I am quite unaware, madam," replied I, stung by this, "of anything in my character or conduct which could induce you to think such a thing of me."

"You made me no promise not to tell," she said.

"Certainly not. But some things are considered universally binding among gentlemen, and one is to tell nothing to the disadvantage of a woman. I neither made, nor will make, a promise about that affair; but if it is ever known it will be you or Overton who tells it, not I."

And I walked out of the room.

I speedily found, after that, my life in Berkeley Square uncomfortable. I felt constrained before Lady Arabella, and, what seemed strange to me, little Daphne, who had hitherto treated me with greatest kindness, seemed to take a spite at me, and her gibes and cuts were hard to bear. Neither Sir Peter nor Lady Hawkshaw noted these things, but they were strong enough to impel me to ask Sir Peter to look out for a ship for me at the admiralty.

I saw Giles Vernon every day, and he continued to come, with unabated assurance, to Berkeley Square. We were not anxious that the fact of the duel should leak out, and Overton was especially desirous to keep it quiet. Of course, he came no more to Berkeley Square, and withdrew more and more from his former associates. He began to consort much with persons of the John Wesley persuasion, spending much of his time, when not on duty, at Oxford, where the Wesleyans were numerous at the time. I noticed that Lady Arabella treated Giles, and me, also, with more civility than she had hitherto shown. I could not think it sincere, but attributed it to a natural desire to conciliate those who knew so much to her disadvantage. But that she made no effort to overcome her infatuation for Overton, I very soon had proof. Sir Thomas Vernon, soon after this, had the assurance to present himself in Berkeley Square, and rare sport it was. Lady Hawkshaw, Lady Arabella, Daphne, myself, and one or two other persons were in the Chinese drawing room when he was ushered in.

Lady Hawkshaw and Sir Thomas were old acquaintances, and had been at feud for more than 30 years, neither side asking or giving quarter. Sir Thomas had a shrewd wit of his own, and was more nearly a match for Lady Hawkshaw than any one I had yet seen. He opened the ball by remarking on Lady Hawkshaw's improved appearance, partly due, he thought, to her triumph in getting the K. C. B. for Sir Peter. This nettled Lady Hawkshaw extremely, and she retaliated by telling Sir Thomas that he looked younger than he did when she first knew him 30 years ago. As Sir Thomas hated any allusion to his age, this shot told.

"And allow me to congratulate you, Sir Thomas," added Lady Hawkshaw, "upon your very promising cousin,

"That's a Pity," Said Lady Hawkshaw.

Mr. Giles Vernon. Sir Peter has the highest opinion of him, and he has won the favor of the bong-tong to an extraordinary degree."

"He may have won the favor of the bong-tong," replied Sir Thomas, impudently mimicking Lady Hawkshaw's French, "but he has not yet succeeded in winning my favor."

"That's a pity," said Lady Hawkshaw; "but it doesn't signify, I dare say. It will not keep you alive a day longer. And there is your other cousin—Capt. Overton of the Guards. He is what so few of our young men are, pious and God-fearing."

"And a sniveling, John Wesley Methodist besides," snarled Sir Thomas, much exasperated.

"Bless me, Sir Thomas," cried Lady Hawkshaw, "don't be so hard on these worthy people, the Methodists."

I own this surprised me, for if there was anything on earth upon which Lady Hawkshaw was uncompromising, it was church and state; and, excellent woman though she was, I believe she would have been rather glad to make one big bonfire of all the dissenters in England.

Sir Thomas was far from insensible to Lady Arabella's charms, and, after a further exchange of hostilities with Lady Hawkshaw, turned to Arabella. She smiled upon him, and seemed anxious to conciliate him; and in a little while I caught enough of their conversation to know that she was telling him of the meeting between Giles and Overton, and representing that it had been forced upon Overton by the insults of Giles Vernon. Sir Thomas' response to her tale was that he did not give a damn for either of them, and if both had bit the dust he should not have been sorry.

When Sir Thomas left, Lady Hawkshaw called the tall footman.

"Jeames," she said, "when that—person calls again, the ladies are not at home. Do you understand?"

James understood perfectly, in spite of Lady Arabella's scowls.

It is not to be supposed that a young man of Giles Vernon's spirit had not been able to go through with his prize money and run pretty considerably in debt in five or six weeks in London, and one morning, some days after this, when I went to see Giles at his lodgings, I found the bailiffs in possession. Giles, however, was as merry as a grig, because that very morning he had got an appointment to the Belvidera frigate.

It was not much after having served in the Ajax, but it meant leaving that uncertain and trying element, dry land, for another element on which Giles was much more at home, to-wit, the blue sea. So he sent out for a pot of porter, and he and I, together with the bailiffs, drank to the Belvidera; and I swore, then and there, that go with him I would. For, in the excess of my affection for Giles, I would have taken almost any service to be with him. The frigates, too, were more in the way of activity, as the enemy was wary of meeting our ships of the line, but the frigates could go hunting after him. So, when I returned to Berkeley Square that day I begged Sir Peter to get me a berth in the Belvidera. He was pleased with my spirit, and the very next day he went to the admiralty for me. The complement was full, but, luckily for me, one of the juniors got a billet more to his liking, and Sir Peter, being on the spot, got me the vacancy, and I was ordered to report at once at Plymouth.

It took me but a day or two to get my outfit and make ready to start. Lady Hawkshaw showed me great kindness then, and actually allowed me to have a considerable sum of my own money. Lady Arabella treated me with her usual indifference, and, on the day I was to go, bade me a careless adieu.

When the post-chaise was at the door and I went to the Chinese drawing room to tell Lady Hawkshaw and Sir Peter good-by, Daphne was there with them, and she looked as if she had been weeping. Sir Peter gave me a letter to my new captain, Vere, and some words of encouragement. Lady Hawkshaw delivered a homily to me on my duty, which I received out of respect for her real excellence of heart, and thanked her in a manner which made Sir Peter my friend for life. Daphne said not a word when I took her hand, but handing me a little parcel ran out of the room. I afterward found it to be a little housewife made by her own hands.

I went down to the chaise, puzzled at her conduct, but, looking up for the last time to the windows, I saw her peering from behind a curtain. I raised the parcel to my lips, and, as she saw it, a smile broke over her face. My last glimpse of her was like an April day—she was all smiles and tears—and it was destined to remain in my memory.

Giles Vernon was waiting for me at the corner of the street. We were to make the journey to Plymouth together.

"Well," he cried, when we found ourselves rolling along to meet the coach, "I have had my cake and eaten it."

"How I envy you!" I said, bitterly. "I have not had my cake. Every shilling of my prize money is in bank, except about £200."

"Poor chap!" answered Giles, feelingly. "How much more of life have I seen in London than you! I have seen everything, including that queen of hearts, Lady Arabella Stormont. She has treated me cruelly, the jade! But I will bring her to my hand at last, that I swear to you."

I longed that he might know of that episode with Overton in Sir Peter Hawkshaw's cubby-hole at five o'clock in the morning.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

For Your Health.

Conquer your moods; don't let your moods conquer you. People who give way to moods never amount to much, because they are never masters of themselves. They never know in the morning whether they are going to do a good day's work or not, whether they are going to be a cheering or a depressing influence on the people around them. If they feel like being good-tempered, they will be; if they feel like "snapping" at everybody, they will snap.

People who suffer from "moods" should be careful about their habits. They should be regular about meals, sleep, exercise and work. The condition of the health has much to do with moods, and there is nothing that contributes so much to health as absolute regularity.

His Position.

Dean Ramsay once told of a young Englishman who had taken a Scottish shooting, and thought himself quite nationalized. Next year he met a genuine Scot of the old school at a German watering-place, and proceeded to pose as one himself, talking of Scotland and haggis and sheep's head and whisky, boasting of Bannockburn, professing devotion to Queen Mary, and extolling Scott and Burns over all English writers. On taking leave of his friend he said: "Well, sir, next time we meet, I hope you will receive me as a real countryman." "Weel," said the other, "I'm jest thinkin', my lad, ye're nae Scot, but I'll tell ye what ye are—ye're jest an impruived Englishman."

A Little Girl's Feat.

Little Miss Evelyn Albee of Alna Center may deservedly be called a heroine. A few days ago, while playing near an open well, she accidentally stepped in. The well was 18 feet deep, with six feet of water. Her playmate heard the splash, but was too frightened to call for assistance. Miss Evelyn, who is not six years old yet, was equal to the occasion and clambered to the top, unaided and unharmed. "How did she do it?" is the general question asked, but no one but the lady herself knows, and she wishes to forget it. That she wasn't hurt in some way was truly remarkable.—Kenebec Journal.

A Cup of Tea.

All cookery books, and many others, contain precise directions about tea making. It is the simplest thing in the world, and yet there is not one person in ten who succeeds in making a really good cup of tea.—Food and Cookery.

NOT A MATTER OF LOYALTY.

Simple But Insuperable Reason Why Subject Could Not Kneel Before His King.

One fancies that few types of men, can, from time to time, have afforded royalty more amusement of a quiet sort than provincial mayors of England. "From the Foreland to Penzance," by Clive Holland, contains the story of a mayor of Weymouth who, during one of the visits of King George to the town, was destined to afford "comic relief" to a ceremony of some importance.

The occasion was the presentation of an address of welcome to the king, and we are told that the mayor, on approaching to present it, to the astonishment and dismay of all, instead of kneeling, as he had been told to do, seized the queen's hand to shake it as he might that of any other lady.

Col. Gwynne, the master of the ceremonies, hurriedly told him of the faux pas, saying: "You should have kneeled, sir."

"Sir, I cannot," was the reply.

"Everybody does, sir," hotly asserted the colonel.

The mayor grew red, and evidently much upset, exclaimed: "Confound it, sir, but I've got a wooden leg!"

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Mutual Surprise.

A mission worker in New Orleans was visiting a reformatory near that city not long ago when she observed among the inmates an old acquaintance, a negro lad long thought to be a model of integrity. "Jim!" exclaimed the mission worker. "Is it possible I find you here?" "Yassum," blithely responded the backslider. "I'se charged with stealin' a barrel o' sweet pertaters." The visitor sighed. "You, Jim!" she repeated. "I am surprised!" "Yassum," said Jim. "So was I or I wouldn't be here!"

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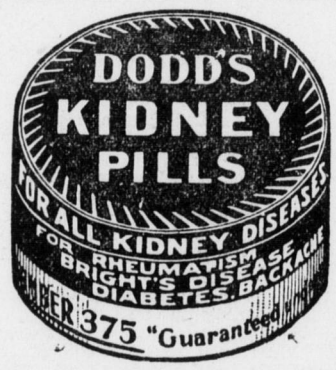

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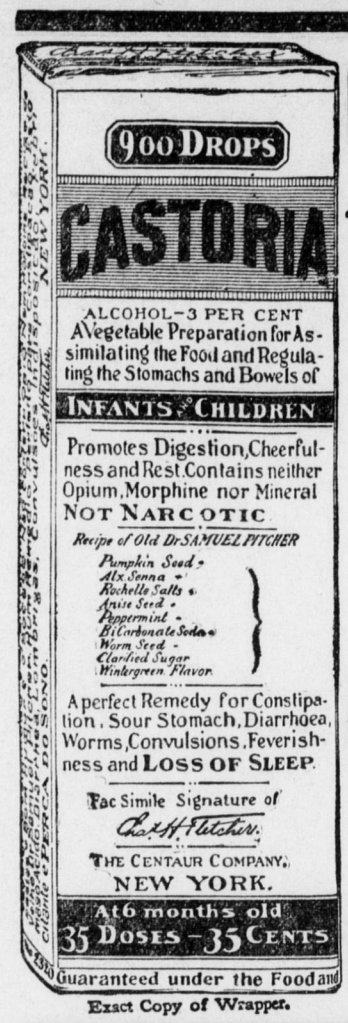
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"I came to Hereford four years ago and bought 640 acres of land nine miles southeast of town.

"Built me a house and broke about forty acres of land the first year. Sold $416 worth of produce off of same and had enough left to winter thirty-five head of cattle and horses. The second year had 120 acres in crop, and sold $802 worth of farm products and wintered forty-five head of stock. The fourth crop is not yet harvested, except the wheat and oats. The wheat and oats will bring me about $400, and expect to get about $1,000 out of the balance of the crop, besides wintering my stock.

"I now have 165 acres in cultivation. I raise wheat, oats, June corn, milo maize, kafir corn, sorghum, California wheat, millet and cotton, and all kinds of vegetables. **I came here with $800 and could make my check out now for $4,500."**

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W. B. Northrup, went to the Gulf Coast Country of Texas, last December, to contract for a lot of cabbages. One cabbage crop of 20 acres, on a 41-acre farm, near Brownsville, looked so good to him that he *bought* the *entire farm, including the crop.* He paid $125 an acre, the man who sold it agreeing to bring the crop to maturity, gather and deliver it on the cars.

The crop has been shipped; the yield averaged 24,000 pounds to the acre, and brought from $1.75 to $2.00 per hundred—*over $8,000 for the crop.*

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Mr. Northrup was fortunate. It isn't often one finds a man who is willing to sell his farm, after he has it under cultivation, for the crop *usually brings more than the land.* But there is plenty of *similar* land in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas, *not under cultivation,* that you can buy for a trifle, compared with its earning capacity. Why don't you go there and make an investigation while the land is *within your reach?* *Next year* it will cost *more.*

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Breezy County News

STERLING RUN.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

Geo. Herrick, wife and children of St. Marys, was the guest of the former's mother, Mrs. M. E. Herrick, Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Dugan and daughter Mary of Williamsport was the guest of the former's niece, Mrs. WilliamStrawbridge, the past week.

Grace Summerson of Hicks Run, visited her sister Mrs.C. G. Howlet Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Beck of Ridgway was the guest of Julia Strawbridge Monday.

E. H. Heninger of McElhatten, is posting as telegraph operator here for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Nancy Russell of Chapman Hill is reported very ill at this writing. We hope for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. Ed. Whiting and daughter Marion, visited her daughter Teoka Whiting at Williamsport over Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Brooks and daughter Xmenia, Mrs. C. A. Dice and sister Stella went out for a picnic Saturday. A heavy rain storm came and they had a shower bath. By their appearance, think they must have enjoyed a very pleasant day.

Robt. Marshall of Emporium is the guest of his aunt Mrs. Martha Smith.

J. B. Hiney of Ashtola, visited his family over Sunday.

V. A. Brooks of Sinnamahoning, was business caller in town Monday.

Mrs. J. P. McNainey and sons Joe and James were the guests of Mrs. T. M. Lewis over Sunday.

Mabel Wylie returned home on Friday, having closed a successful term of school at Hollidaysburg.

Mrs. Oscar Norburg and son of Driftwood, were the guests of her parents, John Anderson and wife.

Mrs. Reed and grand-daughter of Renovo, visited her mother, Mrs. Margaret Mason over Sunday.

Whiting Herrick of St. Marys, is the guest of his grand-mother Mrs. M. E. Herrick.

Mr. Quigley of Lock Haven, was a business caller in town Tuesday.

BLUE BELL.

HUNTLEY.

Dan Kilbourn of Renovo, Pa., spent Sunday here with his father.

W. H. Logue has purchased a fine lot of candies and other fine articles. Call at his store, he will treat you right.

J. S. Jordan has a fine bed of onions. They are all out in blossom and the blossoms look like a large bears paw. He is more than pleased with them.

E. Skinner, of this place, expects to move to Sizerville in the near future. We are sorry to see him go. Ezekil is a good fellow.

W. R. Smith and family called on their parents at Medix Run, Friday.

Squirrel Smith, our night track walker killed a rattlesnake the other night that had swallowed a large squirrel.

C. J. Miller visited relatives and friends at Medix Run over Sunday.

Our old friends, operator Sullivan and family have, moved to Shawmut, where he has accepted a position with the P. S. & N. R. R. We were all very sorry to see Mr. Sullivan move away, as he was the life of our little town; always jolly and ready to do a good turn for everybody. We are entirely lost without him. We cannot say too much to the praise of our old poet J. F S. He will long be remembered by his host of friends at Huntley.

J. Henry Logue, stone mason of Sinnamahaning, is doing some fine work for A. W. Smith on the Willowdale farm. Mr. Smith is building a magnificent large cave to store his fruit and vegetables and fruit in this fall and Henry is the boy that can put on the finishing touches.

Walter Logue has accepted a position with the Pennsy with W.W. Johnson.

Clarence Johnson, who was lamp man at HY tower, has accepted a position as telegraph operator at HY tower. We are glad to see Clarence move up.

Jesse E. Johnson and wife of First Fork, called on friends in town Sunday.

If you want to see a fine field of corn, call on Wm. Wylie.

The party that stole A. W. Smith's chickens is well known and Mr. Smith says he is welcome to the rest if he wants them.

B. S.

Warning

All persons are hereby forbidden from trespassing upon the property of this Company without a permit from this office, or the Manager at the works.

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GREAT REDUCTION IN MILLINERY

Friday, June 11th we will begin our Summer Closing Out Sale of all Ladies and Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats at following prices:

All our $1.50 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$ .98
All our $1.65 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$1.19
All our $2.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$1.49
All our $2.25 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$1.69
All our $2.50 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$1.85
All our $2.75 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$1.98
All our $3.25 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$2.25
All our $3.25 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$2.69
All our $4.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$2.98
All our $4.25 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$3.19
All our $4.50 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$3.49
All our $4.75 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$3.59
All our $5.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$3.79
All our $5.50 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$3.98
All our $6.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$4.25
All our $6.50 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$4.75
All our $7.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$4.98
All our $7.50 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$5.50
All our $8.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$5.98
All our $9.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$6.50
All our 10.00 Trimmed Hats,	Sale price	$6.98

Untrimmed Dress Shapes Half Price.

Sale of Ladies Spring Coats now going on.

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CAMERON.

H. W. Mitchell, dentist, Emporium.

Quite a number of our voters attended the primaries at Sterling Run Saturday.

John May, of Sterling Run, spent a few hours in this place Saturday among old friends.

Messrs. Fogerty, Smith and Summers, of Johnsonburg, spent a few days in this place last week fishing, stopping at the New Cameron.

The Auditors held their annual auditing at Sterling Run, Monday, auditing the school directors' accounts.

The new school board was organized Monday, at Sterling Run. The following members constitute the new board, viz: F. B. Hoag, President; W. H. G. Walker, Secretary; J. R. Strawbridge, Treasurer; Brooks Hiney, F. L. Webster and A. E. Jenks. With the present board in action there should be no excuse for not having one of the best managed districts in the county. The teachers of last year were re-appointed for this term.

Mrs. J. H. Rockwell, who has been very sick for the past few months, is reported some better at this writing.

C. B. Potter and D. B. Peterson, of Oak Hill, and John Devling and Sam'l Barr, of Sterling Run, attended K. G. E. meeting in the Hall Saturday evening.

J. M. Schneider visited his sister in St. Marys Sunday, who is very sick with pneumonia.

H. H. Rockwell and daughter Ada are visiting the former's mother in this place.

Relief Operator Lupro relieved Operator Krape Monday.

Mrs. Fred Schwab, Mrs. Wm. McVane and Willis Stuart were Emporium visitors Friday.

Mrs. S. D. Brooks and four children, of Detroit, Mich., after visiting her sister, Mrs. E. F. Comley, for a few days, started for her home Monday, accompanied by Sadie Comley, who expects to spend the summer with her aunt.

LOUISE.

SINNAMAHONING.

Our farmers are busy hoeing corn and it is looking fine. J. A. Shafer finished planting his corn this week.—He will have late roasting ears this fall.

John Foultz took his annual trout fish last week. He caught three—one for himself, one for his wife and one for the cat.

John Logue is watching the culvert at the bridge. "Spooks" have been seen there and John is after them.

Deputy Sheriff Swoope was down on Saturday and put up another bill of sale on the Star Box mill.

A grand prize will be given to the nine that makes the first home run.

Miss Lottie Brooks has been chosen umpire.

Miss Anna Berfield is visiting with her sister this week.

It is nothing serious when you see several of the ladies going around with their hands bandaged. They have been practicing for the ball game.

Michael Sullivan went to Logue last week to get a position in the ball team but they did not want a spit ball artist, so he came back.

Legion No. 1222 will celebrate their fourth anniversary June 16th, with a general pic-nic. All of the different societies and Sunday Schools have been invited to take part in having a good time. All are requested to bring well filled baskets.

There will be two games of base ball, one between the Fats and Leans and one between a picked nine of the Legion and P. O. of A., at two p. m. Ice cream and lemonade will be served on the grounds, in Wykoff Grove.

Judge Wykoff visited county seat on Monday and assisted Judge LaBarr in holding argument court.

Alex. Shade visited at Pottersdale on Sunday.

DEBSE.

SINNAMAHONING.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

Rev. and Mrs. Runyon returned on Monday from attending the Epworth League Convention at Williamsport and the Runyon family reunion at Watsontown. Rev. Runyon stopped on his way home at Westport and preached for Rev. Dixon on Sunday.

Rev. Dixon, of Westport, preached a very interesting and able sermon Sunday evening.

Mrs. V. A. Brooks spent last Saturday in Renovo.

Ray Lupold who was the Junior League delegate to the Williamsport Convention, returned Monday morning. He spent Sunday in Lock Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Krebs and son visited relatives in Lock Haven over Sunday.

Next Sunday is our Annual Children's Day Services at 10:30 a. m. Every one invited and a very interesting program is being prepared. A special collection for Educational purposes will be lifted. Come and help make the collection as large as last year, and enjoy the children's songs and recitations.

Mrs. R. Z. Roberts who has been visiting her brother, Hon. C. F. Barclay, has returned to her home at Knoxville, Tenn.

Hon. C. F. Barclay made a business trip to Olean, N. Y., Wednesday and Thursday.

Col. J. O. Brookbank was a caller in town Monday afternoon.

Charlotte Brooks returned from Williamsport, last Saturday evening.

Miss Mildred Haynes is with Mrs. J. V. Strayer.

V. A. Brooks made a business trip to Sterling Run on Tuesday.

Misses Hazel and Pearl Crosby have returned from visiting their brother at Medina, N. Y.

Mr. A. L. Ensign and wife went to Emporium, Tuesday evening.

Mr. C. W. Gray is out of town this week on business.

Mrs. Nathan Silin and children have gone to New York city.

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First Presbyterian Church.
Paul J. Lux, Pastor.

Morning worship and sermon 10:30; Sunday school 11:45; Junior Endeavor three p. m.; Christian Endeavor 6:30; Evening service 7:30, subject for sermon, "Tears and what they Signify." A cordial welcome to all.

Have a few pounds of Prunes and can of Squash for 10c, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Favors.

Stella—What were the favors at her dinner? Bella—Well, all the guests thought they did her a favor by coming, and she thought they did her a favor by leaving.—New York Sun.

REACHING THE SPOT

It can be Done, so Scores of Emporium Citizens Say.

To cure an aching back,
The pains of rheumatism.
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In most cases 'tis the kidneys.
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Mrs. John Summerson, W. Sixth St., Emporium. Pa., says: "I suffered from nagging backaches and pains in my sides and kidneys for a long time, caused by disordered kidneys. I also suffered from rheumatism in my limbs, was languid and lacked ambition. I used many remedies but obtained no relief until I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills and procured a box from L. Taggart's drug store. They gave me relief from the backaches and pains, regulate the kidney secretions and improved my general health. I obtained more relief from this remedy than I had ever hoped for and I am therefore glad to recommend it to other kidney sufferers.

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A Social Affair at the Baptist Church.

At the invitation of the Sunday school nearly one hundred and fifty persons gathered at the Baptist church Tuesday evening and enjoyed themselves. The Sunday school room was very tastily decorated. Music was furnished by the orchestra and Miss Elizabeth Crandell favored the company with two numbers.

Mr. Chas. Felt and Mr. Bogue were called on for a few remarks. The attention of the visitors was drawn to a chart which contained the following figures:

June 11, 1905	Sunday School	Attendance	57
June 10, 1906,	"	"	59
June 9, 1907,	"	"	49
June 14, 1908,	"	"	59
May 30, 1909,	"	"	102
June 6, 1909,	"	"	103

The average attendance since Feb. 1, 1909 is over 90.

Showing that the Sunday school is on the increase. In the course of his remarks the pastor drew some striking comparisons between the Sunday school of the Emporium church and schools in the Chemung and Tioga associations. He also revealed the fact that the Emporium Baptist church is not the smallest nor weakest church in Pennsylvania, there being according to statistics nearly three hundred Baptists churches which are very much smaller.

The success of this school is due to Mr. Chas. Felt, the superintendent and Mr. C. E. Crandell, the assistant, backed by a corps of enthusiastic teachers. The Chautauqua salute was given in honor of these faithful workers.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting Borough Council Emporium, June 7, 1909.

Present: Messrs. Goodnough, Mumford, Rishell, Pearsall, Foster and Green.

Absent:—Messrs. Cummings, Howard and Spencer.

Minutes of last regular and adjourned meetings read and approved.

The bills were read and on motion by Mr. Foster, seconded by Mr. Green, the following bills were ordered paid:

A. H. Shaffer, Surveying,	$ 67 55
Riley Warner, Surveyor's helper,	8 00
Frank Richey, Surveyor's helper,	5 00
Sylvester Richey, Surveyor's helper,	8 00
R. R. McQuay, Surveyor's helper,	8 00
W. W. Knickerbocker, Elec. Light Repairs	50
W. D. Roussey, Electric Light Repairs,	70
St. Marys Gas Co., Gas for May 1909,	24 30
John Welch, Work on Streets,	24 50
James Murray, Work on Streets,	24 30
James Davin, Work on Streets,	3 50
Howard Dodge, Work on Streets,	2 00
Fred Logan, Work on Streets,	7 20
John Panting, Work on Streets,	7 20
Owen Nangle, Work on Streets,	7 20
Owen Diniany, Work on Streets,	6 40
Union Electric Co., Invoice,	42 00
Stephens Hardware Co., Invoice,	33
Free Bliss, Invoice,	3 66
T. Gallagher, Freight bill, Sand,	46 94
Fred R. Miller Blank Book Co., Invoice,	20 50
E. D. White, Paid freight bills,	3 96
Robertson Electric Co., Invoice, (2)	21 73
Robertson Cataract Co., Invoice, (2)	31 65
Bernard Egan, J. Clenahan Order,	13 00
Grant S. Allen, Bond of Boro. Treas.,	20 00
Emporium Water Co., Water to July 1909,	500 00
Chas. A. Hockley, Surveying,	47 50
Edward Foster, Surveyor's helper,	18 00
Firemen's Relief Ass'n., 1906-1907-1908,	252 37

Burgess and Treasurer's reports read and ordered filed.

Message from Burgess was read, when Mr. Green moved, seconded by Mr. Foster, that the same be laid on table until next regular meeting. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rishell, seconded by Mr. Pearsall, that Auditors Report be accepted and placed on file. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Rishell, seconded by Mr. Pearsall, that an ordinance establishing a fire limit in the Borough of Emporium be laid on table. Carried.

On motion Council than adjourned.

R. C. MOORE, Sec'y.

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Every one would be benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation, stomach and liver trouble, as it sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Orino to-day. Sold by all druggists.

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GEORGE C. TAGGART, Prop.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—WHEREAS:—The Hon. HARRY A. HALL, President Judge and the Hons. JOHN MCDONALD and GEO. J. LABAR, Associate Judges of Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Cameron have issued their precept bearing date the 25th day of May, A. D., 1909, and to me directed for holding Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Monday, the 12th day of July, 1909, at 10 o'clock, a. m, and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other rememberances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

Dated at Emporium, Pa., June 7, 1909, and in the 132d year of the Independence of the United States of America.

J. W. NORRIS, Sheriff.

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